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LIST OF DEPARTURES FROM BOMBAY FOR MARSEILLES & LONDON

WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT BRINDISI AND MALTA.

Date of Sailing.	Steamer.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons.
1910.				
10th Dec.	SALSETTE	6000	MOLDAVIA	9500
17th "	ARABIA	7903	....	....
24th "	SALSETTE	6000	MONGOLIA	9505
31st "	EGYPT	7912	....	....
1911				
7th Jan.	SALSETTE	6000	MOREA	10890
14th "	HIMALAYA	6898	....	....
21st "	SALSETTE	6000	MOOLTAN	9621
28th "	CALEDONIA	7388	....	....
4th Feb.	SALSETTE	6000	CHINA	7932
11th "	DELTA	8013	....	....
18th "	SALSETTE	6000	MANTUA	10885
25th "	ARABIA	7933	....	....
4th March	MALWA	10863	....	....
11th "	EGYPT	7912	....	....
18th "	SALSETTE	6000	MACEDONIA	10512
22nd "	ARCADIA	7000	....	....
25th "	PERSIA	7951	....	....
1st April	MARMORA	10809	....	....
8th "	CALEDONIA	7388	....	....
15th "	SALSETTE	6000	MOLDAVIA	9500
22nd "	MANTUA	10885	....	....
29th "	SALSETTE	6000	MONGOLIA	9505
6th May	ARABIA	7903	....	....
13th "	SALSETTE	6000	MOREA	10890
20th "	EGYPT	7912	....	....

The above Mail Steamers are fitted with WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

The above Steamers convey Passengers to Marseilles, Plymouth and London.

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FOR BRINDISI and VENICE Transhipping at PORT SAID.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To sail on
R. Rubattino	4580	L. Manchini	15th Dec. 1910
D. Baiduino	4,580	Maganzini	15th Jan. 1911

RATES TO THE ABOVE PORTS INCLUSIVE OF WINE, BEER AND FANS.

	1st Class	2nd Class	3rd Class
Single Tickets	Rs. 500	Rs. 350	Rs. 165
Return Tickets available two years	Rs. 750*	Rs. 525	Rs. 247-8

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INTERCHANGEABLE RETURN TICKETS are issued to return either by the Messageries Maritimes from Marseilles or by the Austrian Lloyd from Trieste.

BOMBAY to COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To sail on
Capri	6,000	D. Moresco	16th Dec. 1910
Ischia	6,000	G. Belsito	16th Jan. 1911

Fares to COLOMBO Rs. 75, to PENANG Rs. 140 to ..... to SINGAPORE Rs. 155 and to HONGKONG Rs. 220.

Through bills of lading for Mediterranean Black Sea, and American Ports issued.

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INTEND TO DESPATCH STEAMERS AS FOLLOWS:—

FOR KARACHI.

Weekly from Victoria Dock.

Steamer.	Tons.	Sailing.	Date.	Time.	Route via.
Linga	2171	Mon.	5th Dec.	11 a.m.	†P D & O M
Kola	1205	Thurs.	8th Dec.	9 a.m.	via C. M.
Lhasa	2171	Fri.	9th Dec.	6 a.m.*	direct.

†Porebunder, Dwarka and Cutch Mandvi.
*Or later on arrival of English Mail Steamer.

FOR CUTCH MANDVI KARACHI AND BUSREH (Weekly).

S. S. "Kola," 1205 tons, on Thursday, 8th Dec. calling (for Mails and Passengers) at Muscat, Bushire, Mahomera, also taking Passengers and cargo on through bookings to 'Ahwaz and Baghdad.

FOR VERAVAL, MANGROLE, KARACHI AND PERSIAN GULF (Weekly).

S. S. "Goalpara," 2147 tons, on Monday, the 5th December, calling at Karachi, Pasni, Charbar, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Linga, Bahrein, Bushire, Mahomerah and Busreh.

FOR COAST PORTS AND CALCUTTA, (Fortnightly.)

A Steamer on or about the 17th December.

FOR RANGOON OR CALCUTTA (Direct).

Frequent sailings, for particulars of which, also as to onward connections to ports in Arracan, Burma, Straits Settlements, Mauritius, Australia, and New Zealand.

Apply to

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3rd December, 1910.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.

TO MARSEILLES.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captain.	To Sail on
Armand-Behic	6,385	Guionnet	22nd Dec. 1910.
Australien	6,365	Mouton	19th Jan. 1911.
Nera	5,538	Casanova	16th Feb. 1911.
Yarra	4,142	Ristorcelli	16th Mar. 1911.
Dumbea	5,685	Rebufas	13th April 1911.
Polynesien	6,363	Bruno	11th May 1911.
Australien	6,365	Mouton	8th June 1911.
Salazie	4,147	Riquier	6th July 1911.

THURSDAY.

INTERCHANGEABLE TICKETS.

RETURN TICKETS can be made available for one way by the Messageries Maritimes, and the Return Voyage by the Austrian Lloyd's or the Navigations General Italiana's at Reduced Fares.

TO AUSTRALIA DIRECT AND THE FAR EAST, TRANSHIPPING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	To Sail on or about.
Yarra	4,142	Ristorcelli	30th Dec. 1910.
Dumbea	5,685	Rehufat	27th Jan. 1911.

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REGULAR SAILING FROM BOMBAY TO MARSEILLES AND LIVERPOOL.

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ANCHOR LINE SAILINGS.

Steamer.	Tonnage.	Captain.	Leave Bombay.
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	16th Dec. 1910
Olympia	5124	W. Robertson	29th " "
Circassia	6716	C F Osborne R N R	16th Jan. 1911
Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	25th " "
Castalia	6388	J. Hamilton	11th Feb. "

HOMEWARD PASSENGER SEASON, 1911.

Elysia	6368	A. Haig	25th Feb. 1911
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	16th Mar. "
Olympia	5124	W. Robertson	26th " "
Circassia	6716	C F Osborne R N R	15th Apl. "
Scindia	5106	Wm. Kelso	24th " "
Castalia	6388	J. Hamilton	7th May "
Elysia	6368	A. Haig	20th " "
Massilia	5091	J. Thomson	10th June "

Schedule of the revised rates of fares from Bombay Homeward ports by the Anchor Line steamers:—

	Single.	Return.
Bombay to Suez	Rs. 413	627
Bombay to Portsaid	" 446	677
Bombay to Marseilles and back from Liverpool	" 578	924
Bombay to London Overland from Marseilles and back from Liverpool.	" 653	999
Bombay to Gibraltar	" 590	891
Bombay to Liverpool	" 605	927
Bombay to New York	" 808	1,340
Bombay to Cairo, including train fare from Suez	" 446	

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PAID UP CAPITAL	£ 800,000
RESERVE FUND	£ 800,000

HEAD OFFICE:

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BRANCHES:

Calcutta,	Chittagong,	Nuwera-Eliya,
Bombay,	Tuticorin,	Aden (Camp.)
Madras,	Cochin,	Aden, (Steamer Point)
Karachi,	Rangoon,	Zanzibar,
Lahore	Mandalay,	Mombasa,
Amritsar,	Colombo,	Nairobi,
Delhi,	Kandy	Entebbe,
Cawnpore		

FIXED DEPOSITS.—The Bank receives DEPOSITS FIXED for one year and shorter periods, at Rates of Interest to be ascertained on application.

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS are opened for approved Customers, and interest is allowed at 2 per cent. per annum on daily balances from Rs. 1,000 up to Rs. 1,00,000, but no interest is allowed when the sum accrued does not amount to Rs. 5 half-yearly.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE, payable in the principal Cities of Europe, India, China, Africa, and Australia purchased or collected.

DRAFTS are granted on the Head Office and Branches of the Bank and on the principal Cities of Europe, Africa, America, and Australia. Remittances may be made by telegram.

The Bank undertakes the purchase and sale of Government Securities, Stocks, and Shares and receive same for safe custody, realising Interest and Dividends when due.

LOANS and CASH CREDITS granted on approved Securities.

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THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL	£ 1,500,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	£ 1,125,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	£ 562,500
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS	£ 562,500
RESERVE FUNDS	£ 285,000

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CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.

Interest allowed at 2 per cent. on the daily balance if not under Rs. 1,000 and not exceeding Rs. 1,00,000. Sums over Rs. 1,00,000 will be received on terms to be ascertained on application.

FIXED DEPOSITS.

Rates for Fixed deposits for 12 months and shorter period to be ascertained on application.

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JAMES MURDOCH,
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CAPITAL CALLED UP	"	50,00,000
RESERVE FUND	"	1,75,000

DIRECTORS:

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Amounts for 12 months are received at 4½ per cent and for other periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.

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The Bank grants accommodation on terms to be arranged against approved security;

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PUBLIC NOTIFICATION.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO per P. & O. S. N. Company's s. s. "ARABIA," from LONDON and INTERMEDIATE PORTS, are hereby informed of the vessel's arrival, and requested to take immediate delivery of their goods landed at No. 12 Shed, Victoria Dock.

Captain Ericson, the Surveyor, will attend every morning to survey damaged packages. All claims in this respect must be preferred to the undersigned within 7 days from the date of discharge, and Bills should be presented for payment within one month from the steamer's arrival, otherwise they will not be entertained.

No surveys will be held on bag cargo packed in single gunnies only, or on goods removed from the Landing Shed.

A. H. FROOM,
ACTING SUPERINTENDENT,
P. & O. S. N. Co.

THE ANCHOR LINE s. s. "MASSILIA," has ARRIVED from GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL and discharges in the Victoria Dock.

Consignees are requested to present their Bills of Lading for our COUNTER-SIGNATURE and to TAKE DELIVERY of their GOODS without delay.

Packages exceeding 30 cwts. in weight will be landed on the quay at the risk and expense of Consignees, unless boats are sent alongside to take delivery without delay. Consignees are hereby expressly notified that all claims for damage must be adjusted by the Steamer's Surveyor before the goods are removed from the Landing Shed. The Undersigned decline all responsibility in respect of goods removed to the Unclaimed Warehouse. All claims must be presented before the sailing of the steamer, otherwise none will be entertained.

Captain METCALFE will attend every morning.

Holders of Through Bills of Lading are requested to make written, not verbal, application regarding their goods, failing the Undersigned will not be responsible for any delay caused by Consignees not being advised of arrival of such goods.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Graham's Buildings,
Bombay, 3rd December, 1910.

NOTICE.

MESSRS. ANDREW YULE & Co. of Rogay Buildings, Apollo Street, Bombay, do hereby give notice that from the 1st day of January, 1911, their Offices will be on the 1st FLOOR of GRESHAM BUILDINGS, Hornby Road.

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A. H. STEELE,
Honorary Secretary,
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The above will be on view 2 days before the sale.

AUCTION SALE of German Silver Katrana (cuttings) and Chron.

Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 8th day of December, 1910, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Workshop of Mr. Anant Shewajee Desai, situate at Chunam Kiln Road, Grant Road, at the instance of the said Mr. Anant Shewajee Desai, on account and at the risk of Messrs. Nanemal Ramchandra, the defaulting purchasers.

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For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. Ardeshir, Hormusji Dinshaw and Co., Attorneys for the executors aforesaid, at their office at No. 29, Esplanade Road, Fort, or to the undersigned.

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GEO. HOGG, Manager.

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Paid up Capital.....	$ 15,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors.....	$ 15,000,000
Silver Reserve Fund.....	$ 16,000,000
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The vast amount of valuable prizes already distributed by this popular circus company is now the talk of Bombay.

MORE LAVISH THAN EVER THIS WEEK, MORE EXPENSIVE, MORE EXCITEMENT, THE MOST HANDSOME XMAS PRESENTS will be distributed during the ENSUING WEEK.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!!

MONDAY, Dec. 5, 1910.

New Items, New Acts, New Horse Turns, New Colouring, New Sensations,

And New and Novel Acts

THE GREAT AMERICAN PUSH BALL GAME

will be put on only for Soldiers and Sailors, which caused so much excitement, and during the past week

BOXING MATCHES, WRESTLING MATCHES AND A GRAND WRESTLING MATCH ON HORSEBACK

will take place during the last remaining week for valuable prizes.

TIME AND PRICES AS USUAL.

Trams to all parts of Bombay after performances.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

LONDON, December 2.

2 1-2 per cent. Consols	...	80 7-16+1-4
per cent. Rentes	...	97 3-4 unchgd
3 1-2 per cent., Indian Stock (Sterling Loan)	...	84 3-4—1-2
1-2 per cent. Got. Securities	...	83 1-4+3-16
Bar Silver in London	...	25 3-8 unchgd
Do. 2 months hence	...	25 3-16 unchgd
Closing Tone of Silver—Quiet but steady.		
Silver in New York	...	55 unchgd
Exchange on London at Paris Fcs	...	25-28—1-2
Do. Berlin	...	20-45 unchgd
Do. New York	...	4-86 unchgd
Discount Bank of England Rate 4 1-2 p.c. since 1-12-10		
Discount Bank Bills 3 months' sight.		3 15-16—1-16
Do. Indian Bank Bills 6 months' sight.		3 1-2 unchgd
Do. Fine Trade Bills 3 months...		4 3-8 unchgd
Do. Fine Trade Bills 6 months...		4 3-8 unchgd
Interest day to-day loans ...	...	3 3-4—3-8
Do. of day market loans ...	...	4—1-8
Bar Gold (per oz.)	...	77-9 unchgd
Amount paid into Bank of England ...		£ 1,500,000
Exchange on India 30 days' sight (Bank's buying rate)	...	1-3-15

SPECIE SHIPMENTS.

Silver to Bombay	... ...	£	130,000
Bar Gold to Bombay	... ...	£	130,000
Silver to Calcutta	... ...	£	30,000
Gold to Calcutta	... ...	£	60,000
Silver to Shanghai	... ...	£	45,000

MANCHESTER, December 2.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL—

Spots	Dul, steady.
Futures	... Quiet.
East Indian	... Quiet.
Manchester Moderate demand at firm rates.	
Sales of East Indian	... 150
Total Sales East Indian	... 5,000
Sold on Speculation and for Export	... 400
Imports	... 1,000
Mid-Americans	... 8-05+3
Egyptian F.G.F. Brown	11 1-4 unchgd

	D.-J.	J.-F.	F.-M.
Cotton Delivery	7-78	7-79	7-80
	— 6	— 5	— 5
Mid. Uplands	M.-A.	A.-M.	M.-J.
	7-81	7-82	7-83
G. O. C.	— 6	— 5	— 5
	J.-J.	J.-A.	A.-S.
Liverpool	7-81	7-78	7-59
	— 6	— 6	— 6

YARN.

40s Banner Mill Yarn	...	12 3-8
George Mayalls Twist	...	12

NEW YORK, December 2.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

COTTON:—

Days Receipts at all U. S. Ports	bales. 75,000
Do. Last year	26,000
Do. Exports to Great Britain	42,000
Do. Exports to Continent	9,000
Spot Cotton—	15-05—10
Futures at New York Jan. 13-52—18	Declined on bullish private crop report and on commission house liquidation.
Do at New York May 15-02—10	

NEW ORLEANS.—

Spot Cotton	14 11-16—1-16
Futures—Month of Jan.	14-57—18
Do. do. May	15-16—21
Closing Tone of Futures—Steady.	
Cotton Stock in London	... 2,530 Bales.
Week's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	431,000
Do Exports to Great Britain	129,000
Do Exports to Continent	139,000
Do Exports to Japan	6,000
Stock of Cotton at U. S. Ports	998,000
Do. of Cotton at Interior Ports	741,000

LONDON, December 2.

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Good Madras Westerns London	6 28-32
F. G. F. Tinnevelly	7 6-32
Months—Dec.-Jan.—Sellers.	
Fair Coconadas	6.28-32

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi	36 3-4
Do Months—Jan.-Feb.	
Do Name of Ports—London.	
Do Whether Sellers, &c.—Nominal. Steady.	

AUSTRALIAN.

South Australian	36 3-4
Do. Months—Jan.-Feb.	
Do. Name of Port—Sellers.	

SEEDS.

Rapeseed—Yellow Gujrat per 416 lbs 85 per cent ex-ship. ... 47 1-2
Do. Months—Dec.-Jan.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers etc.—Sellers.
Rapeseed—Yellow Cawnpore, per 416 lbs 85 per cent ex-ship ... 45 3-4
Do. Months—Dec.-Jan.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Weather Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.
Rapeseed—Brown Cawnpore 39 lbs. ex-ship ... 40 1-2
Do. Months—Dec.-Jan.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.
Tone of Rapeseed.—Steady.
Linseed—Bombay, per 416 lbs, ex-ship ... 66
Do. Months—April-May.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Done.
Tone of Linseed.—Steady.
Linseed Argentine—La Plata— ... 61 1-2
Do. Months—Jan.-Feb.
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.
Do. Weather Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.

SUGAR.

German granulated sugar C. and F. India double bags, ... 12 2 1-4
Months of Shipment, May-Aug.—Sellers.
Tone of Sugar—Quiet.

RUBBER.

Para Rubber 6-2—Value—Dull.

COFFEE.

In New York Fair Rio (No. 7 quality). 13 1-8

METAL.

Copper Brazers	£ 69 1-2
Yellow Metal	d. 6 1-8

Tin plates—I C Coke 14 by 20 112 sheets per box weighing 90lbs C I F Bombay ... ...
Bar Iron.—Belgian Ordinary sizes F. O. B. Antwerp ... £ 4 17 6
Iron Corrugated Sheets 24 guage G. O. B. 4 per cent. F. O. B. Liverpool ... ... £ 11 2 6
Basic Steel Bars F. O. B. Antwerp... £ 5 9 0

FREIGHT.

Coals Cardiff to Bombay Canal ... 9-6

BOMBAY, December 3.

EXCHANGE.

Market is quiet.

We quote:—

Bank's selling—		
T. T. Ready	... ...	1s. 4 1-16d.
D. D. Mail	... ...	1s. 4 3-32d.
T. T. Forward	...	1s. 4 3-32d. Jan.
Bank's Buying—		
Private D. D. Ready	... ...	1s. 4 1-8d.
Credits 3 m/s ,,	... ...	1s. 4 5-16d.
,, ,, Forward	... ...	1s. 4 1-4d. April
,, 6 m/s Ready	... ...	1s. 4 7-16d.
Francs 3 m/s ,,	... ...	171 1-2
Marks 3 m/s ,,	... ...	139 1-2
90 d/s. Hongkong	... ...	125 3-4
,, Shanghai	... ...	133
,, Japan	... ...	149 1-4

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

Market opened at 94-9 and then declined to 94-8, at which rate there were buyers at the close.

BULLION.

Bar silver in London and New York remained unchanged on Saturday.

Business in silver in the local market was done at Rs. 73-10. Private cables advised the tone of the London market to be quiet but firm. The tone of the local market was quiet and rate fluctuated by one anna and closed at Rs. 73-9. About 40 to 50 bars changed hands. The gold market was firm. Local and upcountry demand being good, price advanced by six to nine pies. Rate for sovereign remained unchanged.

GOLD.

		Rs.	a.	p.
97 touch Fakirsett ...	...	23	6	0
97 touch Chinta ...	...	23	6	0
Narendas Motilal's Chop Swadeshi 96 to 99 touch		23	15	9
National Bank	...	23	15	6
Chartered Bank	...	23	14	9
Sovereigns Shield	...	15	2	0
Do. Dragon	...	15	0	0
Australian ...	...	23	15	3
English Gold	...	23	14	0
Native Bullion	...	23	14	0
Indian Specie Bank ...	...	23	14	0

SILVER.

117 1-2 Penny	...	73	6	0
117 Penny Ready	...	73	5	0
Local per tola	...	0	11	6

FUTURES.

First Settlement	...	73	9	0
Second do	...	73	14	0

SEEDS AND WHEAT.

Linseed—Dull. London rate was 3d. up. There being sellers the local rate dropped one anna.

Rapeseed—Quiet. London quotations were unchanged. On account of sellers local market declined by an anna.

Wheat—Weak. The London rate was down. Demand meagre and rate declined by half an anna.

Castorseed, Cottonseed, Gingellyseed.—Quiet but firm. Business dull and tendency of the Market downwards.

Mowraseed and Poppyseed.—Quiet. Demand poor and rate fluctuated by half to one anna.

Descriptions.	Rs.	a.	p.
Linseed, Bold	... Rs. 12	0	0
Linseed, Small	... ,, 12	4	0
Linseed, Brown	... ,, 12	11	0
RAPESEED—			
Brown Delhi	... ,, 6	7	0
Brown Cawnpore	... ,, 6	6	0
Yellow do.	... ,, 7	6	0
Do. Gujarat	... ,, 7	14	0
Brown Katni	... ,, 6	14	0
Poppyseed	... ,, 10	0	0
Castorseed	... ,, 40	8 to 41	8
WHEAT—			
Pissi	... ,, 31	to 33	
Hard Red	... ,, 27	to 29	
GINGELLYSEED—			
Yellow Hingnaghat	... ,, 54	to 55	
Rai Khandesh	... ,, 75	to 90	
Mowraseed	... ,, 7	5 0	
Groundnuts	... ,, 48	to 50	
Cottonseed	— ,, 26	to 27	
Maize	... ,, 16	to 17	
Wheat Yellow	— ,, 36	to 38	
Khandwa	... ,, 44	to 48	
Rajaro	... ,, 26	to 28	
Joowar	... ,, 16	to 19	
Gram	... ,, 21	to 24	
Minbara	... ,, 53	to 54	
Brown Jubbulpore	... ,, 48	to 49	
Brown Meggi	... ,, 48	to 49	
Kabra	... ,, 51	to 53	
Black Kutni	... ,, 44	to 45	
Myrabollams	... ,, 17	to 19	

The following are the receipts of Wheat and Seeds into Bombay during the 24 hours ended at 6 p. m. on Friday, 2nd December, 1910:—

Wheat	...	15,819 cwts
Linseed	...	655 ,,
Rapeseed	...	1,803 ,,
Gingellyseed	...	19,565 ,,
Poppyseed	...	54 ,,
Groundnuts	...	3,488 ,,
Castorseed	...	1,989 ,,
Rice	...	1,483 ,,
Myrabollams	...	688 ,,
Cottonseed	...	10,420 ,,
Mowraseed	...	36 ,,
Gram	...	1,115 ,,
Joowar	...	438 ,,
Maize	...	... ,,

SHARES.

BANKS.

Bank of Bombay	... ...		1,562 1-2
India	... ...		64
Indian Specie	... ...		53

MILLS.

David	... ...	...		370 Jan.
Kohinoor	... ...	...		620
Standard	... ...	...		955

MISCELLANEOUS.

Shivrajpur Mining Syndicate	...	19
Bombay E. S. & T. C. Ordinary	...	120
Bombay E. S. & T. C. Preference...		167 1-2
Bombay Steam Navigation Ordinary		232 1-2
Finlay Mill...	... ...	232 1-2
Swadeshi	... ...	1,020 Jan.

RAILWAY.

Tapti Valley	...	...	480

COTTON.

Liverpool rates were 4 to 6 points down on Saturday. New York was 10 down and futures 18 and 19 down.

The tone of ready lots in the local market was easier and rates declined by Rs. 3 to Rs. 4. The opener advised 4 to 6 points down. The tone of the market for forwards was quiet and price fluctuated from Rs. 2 to Rs. 3. Business in New Broach was done at Rs. 344, but there being sellers at the figure there was a drop of Rs. 2 in the price and the closing rate was Rs. 342.

300	W Wolf and Sons ...	Bengal	255-315
300	Japan T Co ...	Do	285-315
200	Currimbhoy ...	Do	281-282
100	Gaddam and Co ...	Do	312
100	Bussan N K ...	Balapur	341
100	Do ...	Amraoti	342
100	Do ...	Shirpur	332
200	Hindustan ...	Oomptah	335
100	Do ...	Burhanpur	332
100	Glazebrook and Co ...	Khandesh	334
500	Elphinstone Mill ...	Do	315-318

Bengal Hand Gin... Fine	...	296
,, F Good	...	283
Bengal Machine Gin. Fine	...	314
,, F Good	...	301
Sind Punjab Fine	...	313
,, F Good	...	300
Khandesh Fine	...	325
,, F Good	...	315
Dhamangaon Poolgaon Fine	...	339
,, F Good	...	329
Akola Khanganm Fine	...	334
,, F Good	...	324
Amraoti Fine	...	334
,, F Good	...	324
Veotmal Fine	...	343
,, F Good	...	333
Nagpore Fine	...	345
,, F Good	...	335
Wardha Hinganghat Fine	...	347
,, F Good	...	337
Methia Fine	...	325
,, F Good	...	315
Broach Gin Fine	...	365
,, F Good	...	357
Broach Gin Good	...	345
Sawginned Good	...	350 May
Comptah Gin	...	352
Westerns H. G	...	334
Do M G	...	340

The following are the receipts of Cotton and Produce into Bombay during the 24 hours ended at 6 p.m. on Friday, 2nd December, 1910:—

Khandeish	...	2,477 Bales
Central India	...	109 ,,
Barsi and Nagur	...	212 ,,
Berar	...	3,020 ,,
Central Provinces	...	851 ,,
Oomras	...	6,569 ,,
Dhollera	...	1,959 ,,
Broach	...	... ,,
Coompta and Dharwar	...	72 ,,
Westerns	...	28 ,,
Bengal N. W. P.	...	2,171 ,,
Bengals Rajputana	...	109 ,,
American	...	... ,,
Rajputana	...	... ,,
Sind	...	... ,,
Persia	...	... ,,
Egyptian	...	... ,,
Other sorts	...	... ,,
Total	...	10,168

LIVERPOOL, December 2.

Opening Tone and Prices.

Opening Tone	...	Easier.
Estimated Sales	...	9,000
Total Imports	...	10,000

Future Delivery Prices:—

Dec.—Jan.	7-74— 4
Jan.—Feb.	7-75— 4
Feb.—Mar.	7-75— 5
Mar.—Apl.	7-76— 5
Apl.—May	7-77— 5
May.—June	7-78— 5
June—July	7-76— 5
July—Aug.	7-72— 5
Aug.—Sept.	7-50— 6

METALS.

We Quote:—

Copper Brasiers 4 x 4	... ...	lbs. 21 } 28 } 35 } 62 } 56 } Rs. 54 0
Yellow Metal Sheets	... ...	63 } 70 } 77 } 84 } 21 } 28 } 35 } ,, 45 4 42 } 49 } 56 }
Tin Ingots	... ...	,, 21 4
Georgshutte	... ...	,, 47 8

IMPORTS OF TREASURE.

Friday, Dec. 2.

GOLD.

No. of Packages.	Bullion	Govt. and half Govt.	Other Coin.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
6 Box ...	.....	4,50,000	.....
1 Bag ...	.....	.....	1,509
1 Bundle ...	.....	855	.....
1 do ...	.....	2,700	.....

SILVER.

No. of Packages.	Bullion	Govt. of India	Other coin.
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
59 Bar ...	1,12,800	.....	.....
233 do ...	4,50,000	.....	.....
1 Bundle ...	.....	750	.....
1 Box ...	3,500	.....	.....

Importers.	Vessels.	From
Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation ...	Arabia	Alexandria
Do ...	do	London
Eastern Bank Ltd ...	do	do
B Castoorchand & Co ...	do	Marseilles
M Mackenzie & Co ...	Lhasa	C. Mandvi
Do ...	do	Dwarka
H. A. Peza ...	Khogron	Jeddah
M Dulaji ...	Kaveri	Bhavnagar

EXPORTS OF BAR SILVER FROM BOMBAY

by rail on 1st December, 1910.

By	Bars.	Ounces.
G. I. P. Railway ...	25	29,129
B. B. & C. I. Railway ...	44	52,982

LONDON, December 3.

Consols 2 1-2 per cent.	80 5-16—1-8
Rentes 3 per cent	98+1-4
3 1-2 per cent. (Sterling Loan)	94 3-4 unchgd
3 1-2 per cent Government Securities	83 1-4 unchgd
Bar Silver in London.	25 3-8 unchgd
Do. 2 months hence	25 2-16 unchgd
Closing Tone of Silver.—Weak sellers at the rates.	
Silver in New York	55 unchgd
Exchange on London at Paris	25-28—1
Do do Berlin	20-46 1-2 unchgd
Do do New York	4 86 1-8+1-8
Discount Bank of England Rate	4 1-2 p.c. since 1-12-10
Do. Short London Bills 3 m/st.	3 7-8—1-16
Do. Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st...	3 1-2 unchgd
Do Fine Trade Bills 3 months.	4 3-8 unchgd
Do. Fine Trade Bills 6 months.	4 3-8 unchgd
Interest day to day loans	3 3-4 unchgd
Do. 7 day market loans	4 unchgd
Bar Gold (per oz.)	77-9 unchgd
Exchange on India 30 d-st (Bank buying rate)	1-3-15

COTTON.

MANCHESTER, December 3.

LIVERPOOL—

Tone of Liverpool Cotton Spot—	Quiet and easier.
Do. of Liverpool Cotton Futures	Quiet.
Do. of Liverpool Cotton East Indian	Quiet.
Tone of Manchester Market	Quiet.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool	5,000
Do. Day's Sales on Spot and for Exp	.....
Do. Day's Imports	16,000
Mid Americans	7-92—10
Egyptian F. G. F.	11 1-4 unchgd

	D.-J.	J.-F.	F.-M.	M.-A.	A.-M.
Cotton Delivery	7-73	7-74	7-75	7-76	7-77
Mid Uplands	— 5	— 5	— 5	— 5	— 5
G. O. C.	M.-J.	J.-J.	J.-A.	A.-S.	
Liverpool	7-78	7-76	7-73	7-51	
	— 5	— 5	— 5	— 5	

NEW YORK, December 3.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

COTTON:—

Days Receipts at all U. S. Ports	71,000
Do. Last year	23,000
Do. Exports to Great Britain	72,000
Do. Exports to Continent	25,000
Spot Cotton—15-10+5	
Futures at New York Jan. 14-70+8	Advanced on bull support and short covering and on expectation of a decrease in the movement.
Do do May 15-11+9	

NEW ORLEANS—

Spot Cotton	14 11-16 unchgd
Futures—Month of Jan.	14-78+11
Do. do May	15-23+13
Closing tone of Futures—Steady.	
Cotton Stock in London—	
Do. Total Visible Supply	40,60,000
Do. Total Visible Supply East Indian	1,48,000
Do. Quantity in Sight	62,20,000

LONDON, Dec. 3.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

	Bales.
Total Sales	47,000
Do. Speculation	1,000
Do. Exportation	1,000
Do. Forwarded Consumer	104,000
Do. Actual Export	20,000
Do. Import of the Week	110,000
Do. Stock	639,000
Surat week's Sales	700
Do. Indian Speculation	...
Do. Exportation	100
Do. Forwarded Consumers	3,700
Do. Actual Exports	100
Do. Week's Imports	2,000
Do. Stocks	12,000
Afloat Americans	41,000
Do. Indian	12,000

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492lbs C.I.F.	36 3-4
Do. Months—Jan.-Feb.	
Do. Name of Ports—London.	
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Nominal.	
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN.	
Wheat South Australian	35 7-8
Do. Months—Jan.-Feb.	
Do. Name of Ports—Buyers.	
Wheat Rosario	34 1-2
Do Months—Jan.-Feb.	
Do Name of Ports—Sellers.	
Do Whether Sellers &c.—Firm.	

SEEDS.

Rapeseed—Yellow Gujarat, per 416 lbs. 85 per cent. ex-ship	47 1-2
Do. Months—Dec.-Jan.	
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.	
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.	
Rapeseed—Yellow Cawnpore 416 lbs 85 per cent. ex-ship	45 3-4
Do. Months—Dec.-Jan.	
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.	
Do. Weather Buyers, or Sellers etc.—Sellers.	
Rapeseed—Brown Cawnpore 416 lbs ex-ship	40 1-2
Do. Months—Dec.-Jan.	
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.	
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers, etc.—Sellers.	
Tone of Rapeseed—Quieter.	
Linseed Argentine—La Plata	61
Do. Months—Jan.-Feb.	
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.	
Do. Whether Buyers, or Sellers etc.—Sellers.	
Linseed—Bombay per 416 lbs ex-ship	65 1-2
Do. Months—April-May.	
Do. Name of Ports—Antwerp.	
Do. Whether Buyers or Sellers etc.—Buyers.	
Tone of Linseed.—Lone.	

RUBBER.

Para Rubber 6-1—Value. Dull.

COFFEE.

In New York Fair Rio (No. 7 quality). 13 1-4

METAL.

Copper Brazers...	...	£ 69 1-2
Yellow Metal	... ...	d. 6 1-8

FREIGHT.

Coals Cardiff to Bombay Canal ... 9

BANK OF BENGAL.

The following is the statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal, for the week ending 29th Nov. 1910, as compared with the statement of 22nd Nov. 1910:—

Liabilities.	November 22. Rs.	a.	p.	November 29. Rs.	a.	p.
Capital paid up.	2,00,00,000	0	0	2,00,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund...	1,73,00,000	0	0	1,73,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits, &c ...	1,83,33,374	9	7	1,80,53,004	5	4
Other Deposits, &c ...	16,78,60,419	0	4	10,16,25,573	1	4
Bank Post Bills, &c...	10,60,655	12	11	10,55,429	1	5
Sundries ...	17,19,427	2	2	17,66,887	7	3
Rs ..	22,57,73,876	9	0	21,98,00,853	15	4
Assets.	Rs.	a.	p.	Rs.	a.	p.
Govt. Securities otherauthorized Investments ...	2,66,79,630	0	0	2,64,58,855	0	0
Loans on Govt. & other authorizedSecurities	99,27,569	0	0	99,38,616	0	0
Accounts of Credit on do ...	3,90,92,095	3	4	3,88,78,676	11	4
Bills discounted, &c ...	5,27,79,378	0	4	5,21,50,216	1	2
Balances with other Banks ...	3,33,41,436	1	4	3,24,67,886	7	1
Bullion ...	22,59,385	3	8	21,61,880	2	4
Dead Stock.....	21,70,700	12	2	21,72,859	14	9
Stamps ...	11,191	6	3	11,570	4	2
Sundries ...	63,043	14	3	63,060	2	6
	16,63,24,459	9	8	16,43 03,070	11	4
Cash, &c., at... Head Office...	5,94,49,416	15	4	5,54,97,783	4	0
Cash, &c., at... Branches ...	22,57,73,876	9	0	21,98,00,853	15	4

LIABILITIES.

Government Balance Head Office	2,31,032	Increase.
Government Balance at Branches	5,11,673	Decrease.
Other Deposits	57,34,846	do.
Post Bills	5,216	do.
ASSETS.		
Bank's Investments	2,09,758	Decrease.
Loans	2,13,419	do.
Accounts of Credit	6,29,162	do.
Mercantile Bills	8,73,600	do.
Cash at Head Office	9,65,242	do.
Cash at Branches	29,86,392	do.

Percentage 30-40.

COTTON CROP MOVEMENTS.

We have received from the London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company an interesting brochure dealing with the American Cotton Crop movements for the season 1910-1911. The little book is full of information based on reports from the most reliable sources, and will be found of great interest to all connected with the cotton trade. New tables have been this year introduced dealing with the Indian and Egyptian Crops, and the book is up to date in every respect. Copies will be forwarded to any one interested in the cotton trade on application to the Secretary, London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS:—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep, by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button." It soothes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other cases. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine dealers everywhere.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

THE Charge for Announcement of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS and MEMORIAM NOTICES, which must be authenticated by the name and address of the sender is Rs. 2 for six lines or less, and 8 as. for every additional line. CASH strictly in ADVANCE.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

BELL—November 17, at Jaffna, Ceylon, the wife of C Burnby Bell, Burma Railways, of a daughter.

FRANCIS—October 22, at the Civil Hospital, Pakokku, the wife of Dr F A Francis, of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

TAYLOR—WILLOCKS—November 22, at St John the Baptist, Toungoo, Wilfred Reginald, youngest son of Frank Taylor, The Grange, Overlands, to Elia Ballantine, fifth daughter of John Willocks, of London and Hythe.

DEATHS.

LAWRIE—November 25, at No 75, Thompson Street, Rangoon, John Herbert Lawrie, the dearly beloved husband of Mrs Isabella Lawrie, aged 28 years.

ROBERTS—November 22, at No 17, Robeby, Sandwith Road, Rangoon, Miss Bertha Roberts, the dearly beloved sister of Misses E and P Roberts.

SIMOENS—November 8, at Tavoy, after a prolonged illness, Mr Alexander Simoens, aged 65 years and 3 months.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Nasik Conspiracy Trial, Bombay High Court, 11 a.m.

Southern Maharatta Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, Ordinary General Meeting, Forbes Building, Home Street, 3-30 p.m.

Excelsior Cinematographs at the Novelty Theatre, 7 to 8, 8-30 to 9-30 and 10 to 11 p.m. Special attraction, "Foolshead—Policeman."

Skating Rink, Practice Session, 8 to 9 a.m.; Ladies' Session, 9 to 10 a.m., Evening Sessions, 6 to 8 p.m., 9-30 to 11 p.m.

Fillis's Circus, Evening performance, 9-30 p.m.

Maxim: "If you choose to speculate you must look out for the consequences."—S. Baring Gould.

DHUNJEEBHOY EDALJEE ALLBLESS CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The total number of patients treated during the month of November was 619, of which there were 30 males, 269 females, and 320 children.

Y. M. C. A. BAZAAR.—The Y. M. C. A. Bazaar was held for the third day at the Town Hall on Saturday when it was once again very generally patronised. It was opened by the children of the Bombay schools.

KHOJA SAJUNBHOY MEERALLY DISPENSARY.—During the month of November, the number of Khoja patients that were treated in this dispensary was 1,830. Among them the number of new admissions was 340. The average daily attendance was 6.

ST. JOSEPH'S FOUNDLING HOSPITAL.—The Sisters of St. Joseph's Foundling Hospital and Home invite their kind friends, benefactors and well-wishers to their Fancy Bazaar and Lucky Bag in aid of the above Institution on the 6th and 7th December. No blanks; every chance a prize; one rupee a dip.

RATANSI MULJI CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—During the last month, the number of Hindu patients that were treated in this dispensary was 2,894, among them the number of new admissions was 667; classified as stated below:—Bhattias, 48; Vanias, 143; Brahmins, 124; Lohanas, 19; other castes, 333; total 667. The average daily attendance was 97.

POSTAL NOTICES.—Mails for Singapore, China and Japan per s. s. "Bombay Maru," will be closed at the General Post Office at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, the 6th December. Parcel mail for Japan closes at the New G. P. O. at 5-30 p.m. to-day, Monday. Mails for Lamu, Mombasa, Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar, and Tanga, per s. s. "Kanzler" will be closed at the General Post Office at 8 a.m. to-morrow, Tuesday.—Mails for Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, China, Japan and Australia per s. s. "Davanha" will be closed at the General Post Office at 10-30 a.m. on Wednesday, the 7th instant.—Parcel mail for China closes at the New G. P. O. at 9-30 a. m. the same day.

BURGLARY IN MAHIM.

One Lakh Carried away.

SHERENBAI, a Khoja lady, living in the chawl of Haji Sulleman Alarakhia in Mahim, has reported to the police that on Friday night her house was entered through a window, by bending the iron bars and property to the extent of two lakhs of rupees was stolen.

Superintendent Coxen on making enquiries found that several trunks and boxes were removed from the house. They contained cash, jewellery, sundry ornaments and embroidered and silk clothes. The boxes empty and broken open were found lying on the sands near the sea. A portion of the property—Government loans, ornaments, clothes, etc.,—valued at a lakh of rupees was found lying in the compound of the neighbouring bungalow belonging to Sakharam Ravji.

Mr. S. M. Edwardes, I. C. S., Commissioner, of Police, Mr. F. H. Vincent, Deputy Commissioner, and Superintendent Sullivan of the C. I. D., visited the place and inspected the house of the complainant. There has been a suit pending in the Hight Court as there is a dispute about property in the complaint. It is not exactly ascertained how much property is stolen, but it is believed nearly a lakh of rupees is involved.

EXCELSIOR CINEMATOGRAPH.

AN excellent programme is being shown at the Novelty Theatre, Bombay, and on Saturday night the theatre was packed with a most appreciative audience. The films are all excellent, and whether dramatic or comic, are right up-to-date. The leading comic pictures this week are "Foolshead—Policeman" and a farcial picture "The Man with the Monkey Face." Foolshead as a policeman, as usual, gets into all kinds of mischief, and finally ends up by being taken before his superiors. The whole story revolves on his presence in the sergeant's house. The other laughter-maker deals with a man going away for a holiday, when his friends wire to the mayor of the place that a dangerous man is coming with a monkey face. On Saturday night those present thoroughly enjoyed the laughable scenes. The fine dramatic film this week, "The Power of the Press," is

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VESSELS IN THE HARBOUR.—Dec 3.

Arcadia...3514 Barcham Shnghai...18-1-1911 P & O Co
Australien ..... Monton ....
Adamstarm.....3159 Hatenhat ...W & A Graham & Co
Banca .....3704 Cogiyer.....P & O S N & Co
Crexteth Hall .....2435 Ogg.....K Nixon & Co
Clematis .....3329 Rodinson ..Adrew Yuel & Co
Feliciana .....2785 Falck .....T Morrison & Co
Hydra .....831 Kernsborne ...F F Campbell & Co
Kilbride .....2385 Macfarlane .....
Islands.....3891 McClelland.....M M & Co
Janus.....3078 Macdonald .....N F.....N F...
F F Campbell & Co
Massilia.....3250 Thomson...W & A Graham & Co
Madura.....1723 Logan.....M M & Co
Nizam .....2041 Macgonnell...T Morrison & Co
Noor-el-Bahar..... 300 Nakhuda .....
Quirimba .....4237 Smith .....M M & Co
Saifi.....502 Willoughley...S & H S N & Co
Santhia .....3353 Thomson .....M M & Co
Kasara .....505 Elton .....M M & Co
Nadir.....2041 White .....Asiatic...S N Co
Stream
Strombus.....4008 Scott.....W & A Graham & Co

VESSELS IN DOCK.—Dec. 3.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessel.	Ton.	Capt.	Dest.	Date.	Agents
A Clan Cumming	3108	Gourlay	Chittagong	8 12...	J Finlay & Co Ld
C & R Blakemoor	2409	Knolt	Manchester	10 12	W & A Graham & Co
H Kanaler	1864	Schutt	Durban	6 12...	A Strandes & Co
L Abydos	1939	Smails	Repairing		G Hoosein Kasam & Co
N Visigoth	2613	Rule	Philadelphia	10 12...	W & A Graham & Co
O Moorgate	2433	Wisnom	Dunkirk	10 12...	Killick Nixon & Co
Q Shah Ameer	1921	Cusack	Mauritius	15-12	Bo & H S N Co

VICTORIA DOCK.

3	Dalemoor	2572	Brahu	Hull	5 12... W & A Graham & Co
4	Coquet	2865	Sutherland	Dunkirk	10 12 T Morrison & Co
5	Hartlepool	2871	Ward	Manchester	5 12 Ralli Bros
6	City of Athens	3571	Boyak	Karachi	7 12 K Nixon & Co
7	Chupra	3954	Henderson	Antwerp	5 12 M M & Co
9	Devanha	4785	Powell	Shanghai	7 12... P & O Co
10&11	Oceana	3507	Andrews	Calcutta	6 12 P & O Co
12&13	Arabia	4198	Palmer	London	17-12 P & O S N & Co
15	Bombay Maru	3398	Teranaka	Kobe	6 12... N Y Kaisha
16	Lady Lewis	2146	Provo	Genoa	6 12... J Mackintosh & Co

H W P D

Saraswati	443	Ebrahim	N F	N F...	Bo S N Co Ld
Netravati	699	Fakeera	Karachi	3 12	Bo S N Co Ld
Kaveri	553	Dawood	B'nagar	3 12...	Bo S N Co Ld
Sabarmati	521	Samsoodin	Mangalore	5-12	Bo S N Co Ld

M W D D.

Khosrou	2410	Hannah	Jeddah	10 12...	B & P S N Co

Offside L

Cresswell	2002	Bull	Repairing		W & A G & Co

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commanders.	From
2	Adamsturm	Halenheit	Hamburg, Oct 29
	Santhia	Thomson	Sbaya, Oct 22
3	Hydra	Kirsborn	Bkok, Nov 13
	Massilia	Thomson	Glasgow, Oct 29
	Lluga	Cutbush	Karachi, Dec 2

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destination.
3	Nera	Casuska	Noumea, &c
	Imogen	Edward	Trieste, &c
	H M S Alert	Benwell	Persian Gulf
	Persia	Haughton	London
	Umsinga	Robertson	Hull, &c
	Mashtari	Watson	Zanzibar, &c
	Avicmoor	Williamson	Genoa, &c
	Lalpoora	Kilner	Calcutta, &c
	Oolobaria	Johnson	Calcutta
	Vadala	Robins	Calcutta
	Rotenfels	Von Freeden	Hamburg, &c
	Rinaldo	Pickering	Hull, &c

The steamer Onda, Dagge, for Calcutta, obtained her port-clearance on Saturday.

The steamer Arabia, for London, began to load on Saturday.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The German East Africa Line steamer Praesident arrived at Mombasa, from Bombay to-day.

DAILY EXPORTS.—DEC 3.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

City of Athens s—50 bales cotton waste, N Damji.

FOR HULL.

Moorgate s—3,002 myrabolamseed E Oomersey.
Rinaldo s—1,000 cwts castorseed, L Dreyfus and Co.

FOR NEW YORK.

Visigoth s—100 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.

FOR ANTWERP.

Dalemoor s—195 bales cotton waste fly and 75 bales hemp, C Persj and Co; 115 bales cotton, Ralli Bros; 110 bales cotton, Glazebrook and Co; 170 bales hemp, Tyabji and Co.
Chupra s—88 bales hemp, M Moolji and Co; 482 bales cotton, Ralli Bros; 110 bales cotton, W Wolf and Sons.

FOR LONDON.

Arabia s—1,030 cwts cottonseed, Volkart Bros.

FOR HAMBURG.

Rotenfels s—100 bales cotton, W Wolf and Sons; 110 bales cotton fly, H E Bode and Sons.

FOR GENOA.

Lady Lewis s—200 bales cotton, Walter Pavri and Co; 150 bales cotton, M Jethabhai and Co; 1,000 cwts linseed, L Dreyfus and Co.
Aviomoor s—300 cwts castorseed and 1,000 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Bros.

FOR TRIESTE.

Imogen s—1,000 cwts teaseed, Ralli Bros.

FOR HONGKONG.

Devanha s—75 cwts sharkfins, E Moledina; 75 cwts sharkfins, M J Joomabhoy and Co; 8 cases condiments, Manockji Poonjiaji and Sons; 18 bales piece-goods, Jaffer and Sons; 9 chests opium, C Bomonji and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Bombay Maru s—314 bales cotton, Ralli Bros; 100 bales cotton, The M B Kaisha.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Devanha s—15 chests opium, C Bomonji and Co; 5 chests opium, Eata Sons and Co.

FOR MOJI.

Devanha s—300 bales cotton, Ralli Bros.
Bombay Maru s—150 bales cotton, Ralli Bros: 25 bales cotton, The M B Kaisha.

FOR KOBE.

Bombay Maru s—300 bales cotton, Ralli Bros; 99 bales cotton, The M B Kaisha.

FOR OSAKA.

Devanha s—50 bales cotton, The Japan Cotton Trading Co.

Col. G. L. C. Merewether, late of the Royal Engineers has died at Brighton at the age of seventy-four Col. Merewether obtained a commission in the Bombay Eng. in 1856, and served in the suppression of the Indian Mutiny in 1858 to 1859 with the Rajputana Field Force, and with the Oksmundel Field Force at the siege and occupation of Dwarka, receiving the medal for his services. He also served in the Abyssinian expedition of 1868, for which he had a second medal. He obtained the rank of colonel in July 1885, and was placed on the Retired List in 1892.

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Monday, 5th Dec. 1910.

THE ELECTION STRUGGLE.

THE contest has begun, keenly, but good-humouredly, say the telegrams, and the unopposed returns showed eleven Unionists and four Liberals returned. The latest message, recording the results of Saturday's, the first day's pollings give sixty-two Unionists and fifty-one Liberals. But a hundred and twenty-five results out of 670 is not a great deal and though the result of the first day's pollings is considered to have a marked moral effect on the constituencies, especially on wavering ones, those who take it as an indication of the final outcome may be far out of their reckoning. The returns, so far, record some remarkable fluctuations, showing the instability of electors, and reveal the fact that, notwithstanding a vigorous campaign, neither party has succeeded in rousing the anticipated degree of enthusiasm. The members who went to the polling-booth were smaller than in January and the majorities in unchanged seats are in most cases smaller. Whereas in Bury, the Liberal majority last election was 1,127, it has now dwindled down to 255. At Salford North, the majority has fallen from 1,187 to 239. At Winchester, on the other hand, there was a heavier fall and a Unionist majority of 688 instead of 50. At Stafford, the Liberal majority fell from 311 to 55; at Salford West, from 2,210 to 800, though practically the same number recorded their votes. In Burmingham Central, the Unionist majority went up from 1,711 to 3,223; Manchester North dwindled from 1,259 to 765; Birmingham South has returned Lord Morpeth by 2,778 instead of 3,731; Manchester East shows a majority of 871 as compared with 1,028. Birmingham East shows a fall of 1,053. The poll at Halifax, though having the representation unchanged, shows a much smaller interest in the contest, so too Roohdale and Haggerston. The Liberal victory at Bradford Central had many fewer voters and the majority fell from 1,641 to 296, while at Bradford East the margin went up from 2,695 to 3,044. Bolton returns smaller figures; so too Camberwell North and Bradford West. For the Hartlepools, Reuter reports the return of Sir Christopher Furness, but this is obviously a mistake, Sir Christopher having been created Baron Furness, after being unseated on petition, and the seat has since been occupied by Mr. S. Furness, a member of the same family, who appears now to have been re-elected by an increased majority.

The first list of unopposed candidates contained some well known names and some remarkable constituencies, many of the latter impregnable strongholds of their respective parties. Of the seven Birmingham divisions, four were filled on the nominations, West sends back Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, to whom no opposition has been offered since 1895, when he beat Mr. O'Connor by 4,278. His right-hand supporter, Mr. Jesse Collings, after being unopposed in 1900, won the seat in 1906 by 3,787 and an attempt was made at the last election to unseat him by a Labour candidate, with the result that Bordesley returned Mr. Collings by 5,568, almost double the number polled by his opponent. Aston Manor was unassailable. At Swansea to have offered opposition to Sir Brynmor Jones would have been futile, his victory on the Unionist in January being 6,073 in an electorate of 12,983. Sir F. Lowe in Edgbaston had a majority of more than double his opponent's total poll, whilst Mr. Middlemore in North Birmingham, scored a similar victory. At Bury St. Edmunds it might have been worth while endeavouring to remove the Hon. W. Guinness, but hope was abandoned there after a Liberal defeat of 890 in 1907. The return of Mr. Balfour and Sir F. G. Hanbury was a foregone conclusion, the Unionist majority having grown in the city of London from 10,306 in 1906 to 30,586 in 1910. A Liberal candidate too might have stood a fair chance against Sir E. A. Sassoon at Hytae, so unstable are electorates, but presumably party agents deemed the risk not worth taking. Mr. Wyndham at Dover had an absolutly safe seat as had Mr. Harmood Banner at Everton and Mr. Burt at Morpeth. Less hopeless was that at South Shields where the Liberal majority had decreased from 6,286 in 1906 to 4,236 in 1910. An amusing incident of nomination day at South Manchester was the arrival of Mr. Glazebrook, the Unionist candidate, several minutes after the time appointed for the reception of nominations. The consequence was that Mr. Haworth, the Liberal candidate and representative in the late Parliament was declared elected unopposed. Mr. Haworth sportingly, as it appeared, offered to resign if Mr. Glazebrook desired to fight the constituency. Such an offer would appeal to the working-man voter and would gain for Mr. Haworth a number of votes. But considering that the newly declared member won the seat in January by no less than 2,452 votes, there was nothing strikingly magnanimous in his offer, even though his majority in 1896 was 4,232. We have no sympathy for Mr. Glazebrook however. A candidate who cannot be in time on the day of his nomination is one who, if returned, would be locked out of the Division lobby, the sort of man we might expect to keep a bride waiting at the altar. Among the unopposed were the Mr. H. Chaplin, Sir S. Acland Hood, Mr. Redmond, Sir E. Carson, Mr. J. Campbell Mr. Agar Robartes, Mr. Akers-Douglas, and Lord Winterton. Election results show the successes of the Hon. G. Baring, Sir G. Kemp, Sir S. Schwann, Lord Morpeth, Viscount Valentia, Sir T. R. Roe, Sir C. Kinlock Cooke, Viscount Castlereagh, Mr. Hobhouse, Mr. Birrell, Dr. Macnamara. Sir Hermon Hodge, Sir Rufus Isaacs and Sir George Doughty.

Turning to the seats where the colour has been changed, we find that in Salford South Mr. C. A. M. Barlow, on an increased poll, has turned the Liberal majority of 952 into a Unionist of 227 and scored 564 more votes than he did in January, when he was defeated by Mr. Hilary Belloc. At Ashton-under-Lyne a 293 majority has been turned into a Unionist 196. At Wigan, Mr. Puerst, the Labour representative, won in January by 510 over Mr. Neville, who has now carried the seat by 563. Mr. Pike Pease's 406 at Darlington displaces the Liberal's majority of 29. Remarkable is the Labourites' defeat at Birmingham East where the Unionist majority has fallen by 1,053, which the Unionists, though still with a big margin, may count a virtual defeat. Mr. T. Gibson Bowles has been thrown for King's Lynn by a hundred from a seat he won by 262 in January. At Grimsby, Sir G. Doughty goes to St. Stephen's with 697 to spare, after being defeated in January by Mr. Wing, who is now unseated by 322. Peckham's Liberal gain merely converts a Unionist majority of 83 into one for themselves by 41. Manchester South West claims a bigger Liberal gain, Mr. Colefax, who was returned in the Unionist interest by a majority of 107, having been defeated by Mr. Needham, who lost at the last Election by 259. Warrington, always one of the most uncertain of all constituencies, shows a Unionist victory. Mr. Crosfield got in in 1906 by 1,500 and in January by 153. He has now lost by 246. Rochester's Liberal gain by 153 takes the place of a Unionist 132. The Liberal gain by four at Exeter removes a Unionist, Mr. H. Duke, K.C., who won in January by 26.

THE AFRICAN OSTRICH. THE ostrich no longer enjoys untrammelled the freedom of the African desert. He has now to grow his plumage in captivity more or less complete and make the best of the work of supplying the feathers that human fashions demand in greater number and magnificence every year. The first attempts to rear and domesticate the ostrich in South Africa were made not much more than fifty years ago, and they aimed simply at capturing the young wild chicks—after driving off or killing their formidable parents—and in using all possible ingenuity in rearing them. When they grew up, the problem of the next generation was generally settled by the birds themselves pairing off, nesting and hatching out their chicks. Once fairly started, ostrich-farming went on cheerfully enough, although croakers were not wanting who prophesied failure, a word that cannot apply now in the face of a harvest of feathers that total in value two millions sterling in the year. When it was discovered that the great ostrich eggs could be hatched in incubators like any others, a great advance on nature was made, and men were tempted to speculate to their destruction. Good laying birds rose to a ridiculous price as the means to a rapid fortune, even chicks sold at £5 apiece, and their prolific parents at hundreds. This will gamble injured not only individuals, but for a time the industry generally. Many men, hard hit, drove their birds out into the wide karoo world and declared they would never touch an ostrich again, while others, less desperate, sold for what they could get. The knowing ones profited by the chance of the moment, of course, but they were few. This *debacle* occurred in 1881. After it passed, the industry took on a more sober character, the market steadied and ostrich farmers began to understand the advantage of careful breeding with a view to excellence and persistence of plumage. Agricultural shows led to competition and special birds came to stand out from the ruck as of a better strain, showing a vast improvement in their feathers. Other countries have ostrich farms with thousands of birds, but none can compare with the South African type. In Cape Colony among the three or four hundred thousand birds, it is true, many, perhaps most of them, may be inferior specimens, but the number of the good ones increases every year, and they are superior to those reared in other continents.

Ostrich farming does not entail hard labour nor does it require great skill, but a large experience is indispensable. The method is different in different places. Some ostriches are kept in huge fenced camps on the karoo, fed at intervals with grain or fodder when the veld food gets scarce; others are also camped on the karoo, but are turned on to lucerne fields occasionally, or lucerne is cut and given to them. Another plan is to keep the birds always on lucerne, changing the paddocks as they get grazed down. The finest feathers are produced by birds treated this way, but the objection to it is that parasites infest the birds, and these cannot help in feather formation eventually, and certainly give much trouble. When fed on lucerne the feathers can be taken from the birds every eight months. If £8 be gained on every plucking, the farmer gets a very handsome return for his outlay. Three or four birds are reckoned to an acre of lucerne; the cost of growing and irrigating the lucerne is certainly high, so is the price of the birds, but the chicks sell well. Roughly £5 per bird, per plucking may be counted on. The method of taking the feathers is neither cruel nor difficult. The bird when his plumage is considered "ripe" is herded gently into a pen where he cannot injure himself, a stocking is slipped over his head, and thus quieted, his quills are cut off with special clippers. He is then let out and he calmly returns to his serious occupation of grazing. The new feathers, in growing, push out the old stumps, which are then drawn. The operation of taking the plumes, is, they say, no more vexatious to an ostrich than cutting his hair is to a man. South Africa is determined to keep her ostrich farming at a high level, and does not want to share it unduly with other countries, for the export of either birds or eggs is forbidden under penalties.

THE MOHURRAM. IN another column we publish the new orders for the regulation of Mohurram processions, which the Commissioner of Police has issued with the consent of the Governor-in-Council. By these orders a convenient, and in every way desirable, route is laid down, by which taboots can be carried for immersion and along it there is little possibility of offence being given to the religious susceptibilities of either one sect of Mahomedans or the other. The carrying of swords, spears, bludgeons, guns, lathis and heavy sticks, is positively prohibited. Government considers the precautions notified to be necessary in the interests of good order and to prevent a recurrence of disturbances which have, on more than one occasion, brought discredit on the Mahomedan community as a whole. Government appeals to the good sense of the members of the community to co-operate in preventing the repetition of such incidents and we trust the appeal will not be made in vain.

IT is understood that Mr. J. R. Wood will continue to officiate as Foreign Secretary.

REUTER cables that Lords Hardinge and Esher and Sir Leslie Rundle have been gazetted Knights of Grace of St. John of Jerusalem.

WE are asked to announce that a second son has been born to His Highness the Maha Rao Khengarji of Cutch.

HIS Honour the Lieut.-Governor of Burma and his staff arrived at Rangoon on Saturday morning from Maymyo and will remain at head-quarters until the hot weather

THE Golden Jubilee of the "Indian Mirror," a Calcutta daily, was celebrated on Saturday afternoon, when the Maharaja Tagore presented an address to its editor.

THE information about the disappearance of a bag of money from the local Bank of Bengal is quite authentic. The Police are still making enquiries, though as yet no arrest has been made.

THE number of visitors to the Allahabad Exhibition is daily increasing, and everything unfinished is approaching completion. The grounds are beautifully lit up with electricity, the gate clock-towers and the fountain are looking magnificent.

AT last Friday's meeting of the Senate of the Punjab University, the recommendations of the Syndicate allowing students who have secured 45 per cent. of marks in the aggregate, but failed in one subject, securing at least 25 per cent of marks allotted to it, have permission to appear in that subject only in the case of B. A. or B. Sc. candidates, was carried. Another recommendation allowing similar facilities to Medical students, who have secured an aggregate of 50 per cent. but failed in one subject, securing 25 per cent., was also carried. Some Fellows also retired by rotation, and a new election will take place shortly.

SIR JOHN JORDON, the British Minister in Pekin, accompanied by Lady Jordan and Miss Jordan, has left London for Pekin.

REINFORCING drafts of the 1st Royal West Kent Regiment and the Royal Irish Fusiliers, at Bordon, have been ordered to be in readiness to embark for India on Jan. 7.

LORD KITCHENER, who spent two days in Rome, left on Nov. 15 for Venice, on his way eastwards. During his short stay Lord Kitchener showed a lively interest in the recent excavations, and explored the Forum under the guidance of Commendatore Boni, afterwards visiting the shrines of the Oriental gods discovered on the Janiculum, in Company with Dr. Ashby.

A MESSAGE which Mr. Lloyd George has sent to the editor of the "Yorkshire Daily Observer", Bradford, is interpreted as a declaration on the part of the Chancellor of the Exchequer that the failure of the Conference was due to the attitude of the Unionist members of it. Mr. Lloyd George said: "Having in vain used every endeavour through conciliatory methods to win equal political rights for all Britons, we are now driven to fight for fair play in our native land. We repudiate the claim put forward by 600 Tory Peers that they were born to control the destinies of 45,000,000 of their fellow-citizens and to trample upon their wishes for the good government of their own country." The London correspondent of the "Birmingham Daily Post," having called Mr. Austen Chamberlain's attention to the message sent by Mr. Lloyd George to the "Yorkshire Observer" and to the inference drawn from it, has received the following reply:—"Mr. Lloyd George has a lively imagination and a bad memory. No Unionist has ever claimed that the Peers should control the destinies of their fellow-citizens. Our only object has been to secure that those who pretend to act in the people's name shall not act contrary to the people's wishes."

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

PRINCE VICTOR NAPOLEON.

Kaiser at a Monastery.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
PARIS, Nov. 19.

GREAT was the disappointment of a small party of French journalists who had gone all the way to Italy with a view of giving graphic accounts of the nuptials of Prince Victor Napoleon and Princess Clementine, when they were informed that the ceremony would be of a strictly private character. By way of compensation, however, the Prince was so kind as to receive the little band, to which, after having expressed regret for this disappointment, he delivered a brief and friendly speech in explanation of his political position. He said, according to the message forwarded by the "Matin's" correspondent: "I still remain a French citizen at heart. It seems to me that I become more and more so as the years of my exile roll by. But as I am, above all, a Liberal, and in favour of progress, I only desire my country's welfare. This is why, devoid of the faintest prejudice, I like and admire to those who contribute to the prosperity of France. I will not mention names, yet I think it right to admit that, particularly in the present Government, there are men who are high above the common, and who are of great value to France, and, after all, what does it matter whether I or another render her happy so long as that object is attained? I have not abandoned any of my hopes or plans, but I consider that the moment for their realisation has not come. Nothing is done without the consent of the people, and it is through it and for it that I wish to triumph. The day will, I trust, come when it will feel the need of a more authoritative Republic, which, without surrendering any of the conquests of the past, will devote more attention to securing respect for them. When that day comes we shall see. Meanwhile, I wish to remain in the shade, or, more exactly, to go with the Princess to the South of Italy towards the sun. At the conclusion of this short interview Prince Napoleon presented each correspondent with a bunch of violets as a souvenir. He showed considerable tact in giving this explanation to his visitors, as there had been some, though very little, speculation as to whether this union would have any influence on his political plans. As has been seen, he adheres to his old standpoint. He also no idea whatever of coming forward, but if the country ever needs him he will be at its service. This is all, and what man in the position of a Pretender to the Throne could say less? Prince Victor Napoleon has no notion of promoting strife in France or of creating the sligtest embarrassment for the French Government. Only if the nation invites him with one accord will he reconsider his position.

DON CARLOS'S WILL.

Don Carlos of Bourbon, pretender to the Spanish throne, who died at Venice in July last year, left a very detailed and comprehensive testament, the text of which is published by the "Neues Wiener Tagblatt." It contains many personal minutiæ, and also forms a political legacy to his son, Don Jaime, now residing at Frohsdorf, near Vienna, and in view of the existing conditions in Spain, this part of the will is of considerable interest, and the supposition that Don Jaime regards the present juncture as favourable for publishing the testament is not far-fetched. Don Carlos thus addressed his eldest son: "As my first born son will be head of the family, he will understand that he has filial duties to fulfil to the memory of his father. He will be both the representative of my regal rights and the inheritor of those principles which I have ever maintained. For these reasons I bequeath to him, not as war trophies, but as symbols and as witnessed of my continued fidelity and self-denial, the Royal standard of my grandfather, Charles V., with the numerous glorious and spotless banners which I have been able to rescue from our misfortunes. I brought them in all honour to a foreign land in the hope that they may one day triumphantly wave in my beloved country. I command him reverently to preserve them, and I lay upon him the obligation to guard them as his dearest treasures, to see in them the glorious memories connected with them and the legitimate hopes bound up in them. I lay upon him also as a sacred duty to maintain the religious and legitimate principles which I have observed with all purity. I recommend him, as king and father, to cultivate feelings of love and gratitude towards those who have defended in a noble manner, and do still defend the rights of our dynasty in Spain and the principles stamped upon our flags, and never to forget those individuals and families who have for several generations sacrificed themselves for our cause." Further directions in the will deal with the property left by Don Carlos. The chief portion falls to Don Jaime, the estates being divided into four parts, going respectively to Don Jaime and to his sisters, the Archduchess Blanche of Austria, Princess Maria Beatrix, married to Prince Fabrizio Massimo, and Princess Alicia, married to the Italian Lieutenant Lino del Preto. Princess Elvira, who left her father's house some years ago to marry the painter Folchi, is disinherited. Don Carlos writes in his will: "My daughter Elvira, by her conduct and the shame she has brought upon her name, has shown herself unworthy; I, therefore, disinherit her as far as the law allows me." To his consort, Princess Maria Beatrix, born Archduchess of Austria d'Este, Don Carlos leaves the Palazzo Loredano, in Venice, and a yearly income of £1,600, as well as jewels valued at £10,000.

THE KAISER AND RELIGION.

The text of an interesting speech delivered by the Emperor William last Sunday at the benedictine Monastery of Beuron is published in the Catholic Press. His Majesty drove over to the establishment named from Donaueschingen, where he is staying with Prince Furstenburg, to inspect a crucifix presented by himself, and, in response to the prior's words of welcome, said: "I offer you my heartiest thanks for the kind words with which you have received me, and am glad to have the opportunity of paying you a visit and expressing to you my sincere good-will. From the commencement of my reign it was a particular pleasure to me to support the Benedictines in their efforts, since I had noticed that wherever they had worked they had not only endeavoured to maintain and strengthen religion, but had also distinguished themselves as promoters of culture in the field of church music, in art, and science, and in other ways, thus rendering services which should not be underestimated. What I expect from you is that you will go on working in the paths of your forefathers, and support me in my efforts to maintain the people's religion. This is all the more important because the twentieth century has liberated ideas which can only be successfully combated with the aid of religion and the support of Heaven. That is my firm conviction. The crown which I wear can only guarantee success here if it is based on the word and personality of our Lord. As a symbol of this I have presented a crucifix to this church, in order, as I said in my letter, to prove that the Governments of the Christian Princess can only be carried on in the spirit of our Lord, and that they should help to strengthen the religious feeling which is innate in the Germanic races, and increase respect for altar and throne. Both these go together, and must not be separated. Therefore, I promote with my whole heart the aims which you are pursuing, and, in the future, as in the past, will grant you my favour and my protection. That the Emperor's thought is at present following a religious trend was also shown by his address at the recent swearing-in of recruits at Potsdam. In this, as has since become known, he stated it to be his wish that every one of his soldiers should daily repeat the Lord's Prayer. Needless to say, both these utterances are being very sharply criticised in the Radical Press.

AUSTRIAN FOREIGN OFFICE.

The Chief Clerical organ "Vaterland" of Vienna whose relations with high Court and aristocratic circles are well known, publishes certain information to-day which, when taken in conjunction with yesterday's report of Count von Aehrenthal's retirement, is of special significance. The paper comments upon the disclosures of the Czech Deputy Professor Mesaryk in the Delegations, declaring that the documents in the trial of Dr. Friedjung were forged with the knowledge and approval of the Austrian Minister at Belgrade, Count Forgach: Professor Massaryk's accusation that the documents which determined Count Aehrenthal to proceed with the annexation were drawn up at the Austro-Hungarian Legation at Belgrade is a mad idea. That they were successively written and offered piece by piece to Count Forgach, and that Count Forgach sent them to the Vienna Foreign Office in the order that he received them is a certified fact. They were there examined, recognised as originals and bought. The forgers of these documents—there was a complete band—emboldened by their first success continued to offer fresh ones which were also accepted. Only when the then Ban of Croatia, Baron Rauch who was later appointed to the General Staff declared the documents to be forgeries did the purchases which had already swallowed up £3,400, cease. The Foreign Office considered these dearly-bought papers up to the last moment as correct, so that the matter formed a regular deception which entirely duped the recipients. The disclosures made by Professor Masaryk are therefore confirmed in principle. In political circles where the information of "Vaterland" is considered as authentic from the character of its informants great significance is ascribed to the article.

MACEDONIAN TROUBLES.

The following semi-official statement has been issued in Athens: "News from Macedonia and Thrace daily announce violent persecution of the Christian population by the Ottoman troops and officials who are carrying out the work of disarmament. Thus the disarmament commisson at Monastir proceeded to the village of Tsegani and had two priests and three peasants arrested and cruelly beaten. The Mutessarif of Serres visited the village of Djumaya and arrested three notables, on whom he had such terrible bastonnade inflicted that they could not walk when released the following day. A servant in a convent in the Bukovo district of Monastir was so cruelly tortured that he is dying of his injuries. According to news from Salonika, several Turkish bands formed by the Young Turk Committee itself with a view to the extermination of the Greek element are laying waste Chalcidique, perpetrating crimes, and subjecting the Greeks to atrocious torture. Paschalis Lianos Mschtsivantzis and an unknown man were murdered by Trkish bands a few days ago. Several of the murderers wore the uniforms of gendarmes. From Elassona comes a report that the Kaimakam of Grevena is forming a band of brigands to cross the Turco-Greek frontier and enter Thessaly. The neighbouring military authorities have received orders to keep a sharp watch and prevent this invasion. Public opinion is greatly excited by these reports.

SPAIN AND MOROCCO.

On Wednesday a treaty, inspired by the same spirit as that between France and Morocco, dated Feb. 8 last, was signed between Spain and Morocco. This document provides for an indemnity of £2,600,000, payable in seventy-five years, with interest at 3 per cent. Morocco having the option of advancing the payment in whole or part. The indemnity is guaranteed as to 55 per cent. by the Maghzen on the mining rights, and for the balance on the Customs dues at Melilla and Ceuta, which may be introduced by the Maghzen in agreement with Spain. Morocco will establish a force of 1,250 soldiers for policing the Riff and 250 for Ceuta. This force will be under Spanish instructors, and Spain will evacuate the district as soon as the police force has established tranquillity. The treaty regulates all the claims for the Riff, Casssblanca, and in connection with the Moorish refugees at Melilla during the Roghi epoch.

THE TSAR'S HOLIDAY.

A curious picture of Court life at Wolfsgarten is drawn by the "Vossische Zeitung's" Darmstadt correspondent. He shows the Tsar and the Grand Duke of Hesse trundling one another about the park in wheelbarrows, and attempting to upset one another out of these humble vehicles. In this effort, we are told, the Grand Duke was successful, while the agility derived from his devotion to sport enabled him to defy the endeavours of his Imperial brother-in-law to take his revenge upon him. It is stated that the visit to Germany has proved so beneficial to the Russian Imperial family that it is likely to become an annual appointment. In any case, the Tsaritza will next year undergo a similar cure at Nauheim, having obtained considerable relief from her recent treatment there.

BRITISH KAFFIRS SHOT.

Details of the strange affair at Wilhelmsthal, in which some fifteen or twenty Cape Colony Kaffirs were killed and a number of others injured, are contained in the latest mail from German South-West Africa. An official account of the incident says: "On Thursday, Sept. 29, in consequence of a dispute as to wages a body of some eighty Transkei Kaffirs, employed on the line under construction between Wilhelmsthal and Karibib, laid down their work and set off on a march towards Windhook, in order to negotiate there with the management of the works. They were, however, on Saturday brought back to their camp by the police of Okahandja. The demeanour of the Kaffirs on Monday and Tuesday aroused fears of further disturbances. Accordingly the works engineer at Wilhelmsthal tried to get the ringleaders out from amongst the others in order that the

THE GENERAL ELECTION.

EVEN POLLING BY BOTH PARTIES.

FIERCE FIGHT IN LONDON.

MR. CHURCHILL REFUSED A HEARING.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The election, so far, has resulted in the return of :—

Unionists	**62**
Liberals	**51**
Labour	**7**
Nationalists	**5**
Unionist gains	**7**
Liberal gains	**4**

There is little indication of any marked swing to either side. In some cases, Ministerial majorities have been largely reduced, but in many constituencies, the figures are remarkably similar to those at the January election.

The most notable points have been the failure of Mr. Bonar Law to capture North-West Manchester, the defeat of Mr. Gibson Bowles at King's Lynn, and the re-election of Messrs. Birrell and Masterman.

The fight was fiercest, in London, at Peckham, which the Liberals won by a majority of 41.

Altogether the Unionists have gained South Salford, Ashton-under-Lyme, Warrington, Wigan, Darlington, King's Lynn and Grimsby.

The Liberal gains were at Peckham, South-West Manchester, Rochester and Exeter.

Unopposed Returns.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The following have been returned unopposed :—

E G Pretyman (U) Essex, Chelmsford
Previous Election, 1910—E Pretyman (U) 8,616 T Cuthbertson (L) 4,271 U majority 4,345.

W Field (N) Dublin, St Patrick's
Previous Election, 1910—W Field (N) Unopposed.

J P Nannetti (N) Dublin, College Green
Previous Election, 1910.—Nannetti (N) 4,559 ; Maj O'Connor (U) 1,239; N majority 3,320 ; opposed.

H J Wilson (L) Yorkshire, Holmfirth
Previous Election 1910.—H Wilson (L), 6,339, R Ellis (U), 1,642, W Pickles (Lab) 3,043.

J E Sutherland (L) Elgin
Previous Election 1910—J Sutherland (L) 3,031 W Black (U) 1,201 L majority 1,830.

Earl Winterton (U) Sussex, Horsham
Previous Election 1910—Lord Winterton (U) 6,334; R Outhwaite (L) 3,534; U majority 2,790.

E W Davies (L) Carnarvon, Eifon
Previous Election 1910 :—E Davies (L) 6,118; Priestley (U) 1,700, L majority 4,418.

Hon A Stanley (U) Lancs, Ormskirk
Previous Election, 1910—Hon. A. Stanley (U.) 6,919, W Lever (L.) 4,679, U. majority 2,240.

Viscount Helmsley (U) Yorkshire, Thirsk
R Thomson (U) Belfast, North
Previous Election 1910—J. Thompson (U) 6,275 R. Gagely (L) 3,951 U majority 2,324.

R Cameron (L) Durham, Houghton-le-Spring
Previous Election, 1910.—R Cameron (L), 10,393 Streatfield (U), 4,332 ; Liberal majority 5,011.

Rt-Hon H Chaplin (U) Surrey, Wimbledon
Previous Election 1910—Rt Hon H Chaplin (U) 14,145; A Holland (L) 8,930 U majority 5,215.

W L Williams (L) Carmarthen Borough.
Previous Election 1910—W Ll W Williams (L) 4,107; Lord Tiverton (U) 1,965; L majority 2,232.

Capt Hon A C Murray (L) Kincardineshire.
Previous Election 1910—Capt Hon Murray (L) 3,926; R Pearson (U) 1,891 L majority 2,035.

Rt Hon Sir A Acland-Hood (U) Somerset West.
Previous Election, 1910—Rt Hon Sir A Acland-Wood (U) 5,216 W King (L) 4,150 U majority 1,066.

B Stanier (U) Shropshire, Newport
Previous election, 1910—B. Stanier, (U.), 5,570 ; W. Monsdale (L.), 4,324 : U. majority 1,246.

E C Meysey-Thompson (U) Stafford, Handsworth
Previous Election, 1910—E Meysey-Thompson (U) 14,594, Councillor Jackson L 9,438 U. majority 5,106

Sir J H Dalziel (L) Kirkcaldy District
Previous Election, 1910—Sir J Dalziel (L.) 5,035, Hannan (U.) 1,658, D. majority 3,377.

C Fenwick (L) Northumberland, Wansbeck.

J E Redmond (N) Waterford City.
Previous election, 1910—J. E. Redmond (N.), unopposed.

S H Butcher (U) Cambridge University
J Rawlinson (U) Cambridge University
Previous Election 1910—Mr S H Butcher (U) Unopposed ; J F P Rawlinson (U) Unopposed.

Sir W Anson (U) Oxford University
Lord H Cecil (U) Oxford University
Rt Hon Sir E Carson (U) Dublin University
Rt Hon J Campbell (U) Dublin University
Previous Election, 1910—Sir E Carson, K C (U) Unopposed, Sir J H M Campbell (U) Unopposed.

Hon T Agar Robartes (L) Cornwall, St Austell
Previous Election, 1910—Hon T Agar-Robartes (L), 6,225, F Barnard (U), 3,138 ; Liberal majority 3,087.

H Nield (U) Middlesex, Ealing
Previous Election, 1910—H Nield (U) 12,916 M Halbert (L) 8,210, U majority 4,706.

J Walton (L) Yorks, Barnsley
Previous Election, 1910.—J Walton (L), 12,425, A Grosser (U), 5,053 ; Liberal majority 7,372.

W Jones (L) Carnarvon, Aifon
Previous Election 1910—W Jones (L) 6,223, A Hughes (U) 2,629, L majority 3,594.

J H Lewis (L) Flintshire
Previous election, 1910—J. H. Lewis (L), 6,610 ; Col. Lloyd-Howard (U.), 4,454; L. majority, 2,156.

Macmordie (U) Belfast, East

P O'Brien (N) Kilkenny

286. Previous election, 1910—P . O'Brien (N.) Unopposed.

H W Forster (U) Kent, Sevenoaks
W G Nicholson (U) Hampshire, Petersfield
Previous Election, 1910.—W Nicholson (U), 6,279 H Baker L 3,594 ; Unionist majority 2,685.

L Hardy (U) Kent, Ashford
Previous Election 1910—L Hardy (U) 7,966 R Farrer (L) 4,422, U majority 3,544.

J J Mooney (N) Newry
Previous Election, 1910—J Mooney (N) 1079, L majority 269, J Cusack (U) 542, N majority 537, majority 67.

Rt Hon A Akers-Douglas (U) Kent, St Augustine's

E J Griffith (L) Anglesey.
Previous Election 1910—Ellis Griffith (L) 5,888 ; E. Roberts (U) 2,436, L. majority.

Messrs A Rowntree (L) and J G Butcher (U) members for York City, were re-elected by agreement.

The Pollings.

The following are the results of the pollings:—

BRADFORD WEST.
F Jowett (Lab.).....7,729
Sir E Flower (U).....4,339
Labour majority 3,390
No change.
Previous Election 1910—F Jowett (Lab) 8,880 Sir E Flower (U) 4,461 Lab majority 449.

CAMBRIDGE.
A Padgett (U).....4 427
S Buckmaster (L).....4,084
Unionist majority..... 343
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—A H Paget (U) 4,666 ; S Buckmaster (L) 4,081 U majority, 535.

READING.
Sir R Isaacs (L).....5,094
Wilson (U).....4,995
Liberal majority 99
No change.
Previous Election. 1910—Rufus Isaacs (L) 5.264 Major Renton (U) 5,057 L majority 207 1906—

WOLVERHAMTON.
G Thorne (L) 5,072
Whiteside (U).....3,881
Liberal majority 1,191
No change.
Previous election, 1910—G. Thorne, (L.), 5,726; L. Amery (U.), 4,462 ; L. majority 814.

NEWINGTON, WEST.
Captain Norton (L).....4,038
W Brookes (U).....3,498
Liberal majority 540
No change.
Previous Election, 1910.—Captain Norton (L.) 4,350 ; W. Brookes (U.) 3,938 ; Liberal majority, 412.

NEWINGTON, WALWORTH.
J Dawes (L).....3,248
R Bellilos(U).....2,994
Liberal majority 254
No change.
Previous Election 1910.—J. Dawes (L.) 3,509 ; R. Bellilos (U.) 3,319 ; Liberal majority, 190.

GRAVESEND.
Sir G Parker (U).....3,108
S Jenkins (L) 2,506
Unionist majority..... 602
No change.

LINCOLN.
C Roberts (L) 5,874
Sir R Filmer (U).....4,868
Liberal majority 1,006
No change.

BRADFORD, CENTRAL.
Sir G Scott Robertson (L).....4,677
G Pauling (U).....3,381
Liberal majority 1,296
No change.
Previous Election 1910—Sir G Robertson (L) 5,249, Lord Howick (U) 3,608 L majority 1,641.

BRADFORD, EAST.
Sir W M Priestley (L) 7,778
Mortimer (U) 4,734
Liberal majority 3,044
No change.
Previous Election 1910—Sir Wm Priestley (L) 7,709 J Balfour Browne (U) 5,014 E Hartley (Soc) 1,740 L majority over U and S 955.

MAIDSTONE.
Viscount Castlereagh(U).....2,906
V Phillips (L) 2,886
Unionist majority..... 70
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Lord Castlereagh (U.), 3,094 ; Phillips (L.), 2,847 U majority 247.

BRISTOL, WEST.
G A Gibbs (U).....4,871
Stevens (L) 3,506
Unionist majority.....1,365
No change.
Previous Election 1910—Lt Col Gibbs (U) 5,159; Dr Saise (L) 3,881 ; U majority 1,178.

CROYDON.
Sir R Hermon-Hodge (U)...11,875
Malcolm (L).....10,343
Unionist majority 1,532
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Sir R. T. Hermon-Hodge, (U.), 12,223 ; A. Leon (L.), 11,327 ; U. majority 896.

BRISTOL, EAST.
Rt Hon C E Hobhouse (L).....7,229
Hannon (U).....4,263
Liberal majority 2,966
No change.
Previous Election 1910—Rt Hon C Hobhouse (L) 6,804 ; T Batten (U) 4,033 ; Shepherd (Soc) 2,255 ; L majority over U 2,771 ; L majority over Soc 4,549.

BOLTON (2).
G Harwood (L).....10,358
A Gill (Lab) 10,108
Hesketh (U).....8,697
Liberal majority 1,661
No change.
Previous Election 1910—G Harwood (L) 12,275 A Gill (Lab) 11,864 W Mattinson, (U) 7,479 P Ashworth (U) 7,326 Combined L and Lab majority 8,334.

PERTH.
A F Whyte (L).....2,852
Telfer-Smollet (U).....1,878
Liberal majority 974
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—A Whyte (L) 2,841, S Chapman (U) 2,103 L majority 739.

BRISTOL, NORTH.
Rt Hon A Birrell (L).....6,410
Magnus (U).....5,084
Liberal majority 1,326
No change.

CAMBERWELL, NORTH.
Dr T J Macnamara (L).....5,038
S Goldsmid (U).....4,056
Liberal majority 982
No change.
Previous Election 1910—Dr Macnamara (L) 5,993 S Goldsmid (U) 4,511 ; L majority 1,482.

GLOUCESTER.
H Terrel (U).....3,903
Lynch (L).....3,899
Unionist majority..... 4
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—H. Terrell (U.), 4,109 ; Right Hon. Russell Rea (L.), 3,983 ; U. majority 126.

WEDNESBURY.
J Griffiths (U).....6,423
Baker (L).....5,691
Unionist majority 732
No change
Previous Election, 1910—J. Naughton Griffiths, 6,636 ; C. Hyde, (L). 6.040 ; U. majority 596.

WOLVERHAMPTON.
Colonel Hickman (U).....4,784
Lever (L).....4,440
Unionist majority..... 344
No change.
Pevious Election 1910—Col Hickman (U) 4,989 ; Sir H Norman, (L) 4,619; U majority 370.

COLCHESTER.
L Evans (U).....3,488
Vincent (L) 2,874
Unionist majority..... 614
No change.
Previous election, 1910 :—L Evans (U) 3,717, F Thompson (L) 2,926 ; U majority 791.

WEST HAM NORTH.
C Masterman (L).....6,653
Wild (U).....5,761
Liberal majority 897
No change.
Previous Election, 1910.—C. F. Masterman (L.) 7,023 ; E. Gray (U.) 6,133 ; Liberal majority 890.

BURY.
G Toulmin (L).....4,509
E L Hartley (U).....4,254
Liberal majority 255
No change.
Previous Election 1910—G Toulmin (L) 4,866 E L Hartley (U) 4,258, L majority 608.

SALFORD NORTH.
W P Byles (L).....4,402
Potter (U).....4,163
Liberal majority 239
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—W. P. Byles (L) 4,930 ; Ian Malcolm (U) 4,123; Liberal majority 857.

WINCHESTER.
Hon G Baring (U).....1,719
G W Ricketts (L) 1,121
Unionist majority..... 598
No change.
Previous Election 1910—J F Mason (U) 1,838; H Hart (L) 1,170; U majority 668.

STAFFORD.
Essex (L).....1,992
Nicholson (U).....1,837
Liberal majority 155
No change.

SALFORD, WEST.
G W Agnew (L).....6,600
Reine (U).....5,800
Liberal majority 800
No change.

SALFORD, SOUTH.
C Barlow (U) 3,666
Russell (L) 3,439
Unionist majority..... 227

Unionist gain.
Previous Election, 1910—H. Balloc (L) 3,952 ; C. H. Barlon (U) 3,636; Liberal majority, 316.

MANCHESTER, SOUTH-WEST.
G T Needham (L) 3,590
A Colefax (U).....3,331
Liberal majority 259
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—H A Colefox (U) 3,111 ; C.E. Needham (L) 3,004; J McLachlan (Lab) 1,218 ; U majority over Liberal 107 ; U majority over Labour 1,893.

MANCHESTER, NORTH-WEST.
Sir G Kemp (L) 5,559
A Bonar Law (U) 5,114
Liberal majority 445
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Sir G. Kemp (L.) 5,930 W. Joison-Hick, (U) 5,147, L majority 783.

SCARBOROUGH.
W R Rea (L) 2,763
Hon G Monckton-Arundel (U) 2,711
Liberal majority 52
Previous Election, 1910—W. Rea (L) 3,011 Hon G Monckton Hundel (U) 2,719 L majority 292.

Liberal gain.

BIRMINGHAM, CENTRAL.
E Parkes (U) 4,640
Manton (L).....1,417
Unionist majority.....3,223
No change.
Previous Election 1910—E Parkes (U) 6,015, C Brampton (L) 1,711, U majority 4,304.

ASHTON under LYNE.
Aitkin (U).....4,044
A Scott (L).....3,848
Unionist majority..... 196
Previous Election 1910—A H Scott (L) 4,039, H Whiteley (U) 3,746, Gos (S) 413, L majority over U 293, L majority over S 3,626.

Unionist gain.

STALYBRIDGE.
J Wood (U).....3,807
A Bright (L).....3,414
Unionist majority..... 393
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—J. Wood (U.) 3,736 Allan Bright (L.) 3,679, U. majority 58.

MANCHESTER, NORTH.
Sir C Schwann (L).....4 601
H Howell (U).....3,936
Liberal majority 665
No change,
Previous Election, 1910—Sir C. E. Schwann, (L) 5,201; H. E. Howell (U) 3,951 ; Liberal majority, 1,250.

WARRINGTON.
Smith (U).....5,162
A Crosfield (L).....4,916
Unionist majority 246

Unionist gain.
Previous Election 1910—A Crosfield (L) 5,256, R Pierpont (U) 5,103, L majority 153.

MANCHESTER, NORTH-EAST.
J R Clynes (Lab).....4,313
Taylor (U).....4,108
Labour majority 205
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—J R Clynes (Lab) 5,137, Sir W H Vandrey (U) 3,679, Lab majority 1,458.

BIRMINGHAM, SOUTH.
Viscount Morpeth (U).....4,702
A Butler (L).....1,924
Unionist majority.....2,778
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Lord Morpeth (U)6,207, A E Butler (L) 2,947, U majority 3,260.

MANCHESTER, EAST.
J Sutton (Lab).....5,524
Proby (U).....4,653
Labour majority 871
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Sutton (Lab) 6119 E E Robo (U) 5,091 L majority 2,028.

WIGAN.
R J Neville (U).....4,673
H Twist (Lab).....4,110
Unionist majority 563

Unionist gain.

CAMBERWELL, DULWICH.
Hall (U).....7,796
Spicer (L).....5,495
Unionist majority.....2,301
Unchanged.
Previous Election 1910—A Bonar Law (U) 8,473, H Cotton (L) 6,054, U majority 2,418.

DARLINGTON.
H Pike Pease (U).....4 881
Maddison (L).....4,475
Unionist majority 406

Unionist gain.
Previous Election, 1910.—J. T. Lincoln (L) 4,815; H. Pike Pease (U.) 4,786 ; Liberal majority 29.

SALISBURY.
G Locker-Lampson (U).....1,750
Warner (L).....1,413
Unionist majority..... 337
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—G Locker-Lampsen (U) 1,803, Sir E Tennant (L) 1.485, U majority 317.

BIRMINGHAM, EAST.
A Steel-Maitland (U).....6,639
J Stephenson (Lab).....3,190
Unionist majority 3,449
No change.
Previous Election 1910—A Steel-Maitland (U) 8,460, J Stephenson (L) 3,958, U majority 4,502.

HASTINGS.
A Du Cros (U).....4,397
Johnson (L).....3,515
Unionist majority..... 882
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—A. Du Cros (U.) 4,634, R. Tweedy-Smith (L.) 3,833, U. majority 801.

KING'S LYNN.
Ingleby (U).....1,765
T Gibson Bowles (Ind Free Trader).....1,665
Unionist majority 100

Unionist gain.

SHOREDITCH, HOXTON.
Dr Addison (L).....3,451
Francis (U).....2,831
Liberal majority..... 620
No change.
Previous Election. 1910—Dr Addison (L) 3,736, Hon Cloude Hay (U) 3,398,9 L majority 33.

HALIFAX (2).
J H Whitley (L)..... 3,778
Parker (Lab).....3,511
J Galbraith (U).....4,420
Baldwin (U).....4,602
Liberal majority 4,358
No change.

ROCHDALE.
A Harvey (L).....5,850
Cockshutt (U).....5,373
Dan Irvine (S).....1,901
Liberal majority over Unionist... 477
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—A G C Harvey (L) 6,809, W Boyd-Carpenter (U) 5,331, Irving (Soc) 1.755. L majority over U 1,438, L majority over Soc 5,054.

SHOREDITCH, HAGGERSTON.
H Chancellor (L).....3,046
Hon R Guinness (U).....2,641
Liberal majority 405
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—H Chancellor (L) 3,041 HonR Givenness (U) 2,585, H Burrows (Soc) 701, L majority over U 455 L Mejority over Soc 2,340.

DEVONFORT (2).
Sir J Jackson (U).....5 170
Sir C Kinloch Cooke (U).....5,111
Baring (L).....4,782
S. Lithgow (L).....4,841
Unionist majority 388
No change.
Previous election, 1910.—Sir J Jackson (U) 5,658; Sir C Kinlock Cook (U) 5,296 ; Sir J W Benn (L) 5,146; S Lithgow (L) 5,140; Total U majority 3,658.

OXFORD CITY.
Viscount Valentia (U) 4,674
Williams (L).....3,328
Unionist majority.....1,346
No change.

DERBY (2).
Sir T. Roe (L).....9,515
J. Thomas (Lab).....9,144
A. Back (U).....8,160
Liberal majority 371
No change.
Previous election, 1910.—Sir T Roe (L) 10,343 ; T Thomas (Lab) 10,183 ; A E Beck (U) 8,039 ; A Page (N) 7,953 ; L and Lab majority 4,541.

GRIMSY.
Sir G Doughty (U).....7,903
T H Wing (L).....7,206
Unionist majority..... 697

Unionist gain.

HARTLEPOOL.
S Furness (L) 6,017
W Gritten (U).....5,869
Liberal majority 948
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Sir C. Furness (L) 6,531, W Gritten (U.) 5,754, L. majority 777.

CAMBERWELL, PECKHAM.
A Richardson (L).....5,027
H Gooch (U).....4,986
Liberal majority 39
Previous Election, 1910.—H. Gooch (U.) 1,330 ; A. Richardson (L.) 5,247 ; Unionist majority, 83.

Liberal gain.

WEST HAM, SOUTH.
W Thorne (L).....9,508
Carthew (U).....4,820
Labour majority 688
No change.
Previous Election, 1910.—W. Thorne (Lab.) 11,791 ; J. Grimwood (U.) 6,909 ; Labour majority 4,882.

BRISTOL, SOUTH.
Sir W H Davies (L)..... 6,895
Francombe (U).....6,787
Liberal majority ..... 108.
No change.
Previous Election 1910—Sir W Davies (L) 7,281, H Chatterton (U) 7,910, L majority 271.

WOLVERHAMPTON, WEST.
A F Bird (U).....5,925
Lewis (L).....5,631
Unionist majority..... 295
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—A Bird (U) 6,382; T Richards (L), 5,890; U majority 492.

IPSWICH 2.
Sir D Goddard (L).....5,931
C S Horne (L).....5,791
A Churchman (U).....5,447
B Burton (U).....5,407
Liberal majority 494
No change.
Previous Election, 1910—Sir D. Goddard (L) 6,120, Rev Mr. Horne (L,) 5 953, A. Churchman (U.) 5,690, B. Bartdon, (U.) 5,645, L. majority 430.

BROMWICH, WEST.
Viscount Lewisham (U).....5,046
Dr Hasel (L).....5,041
Unionist majority..... 5
No change.

ROCHESTER
E Lamb (L).....2,609
S Ridley (U) 2,456
Liberal majority..... 153

Liberal gain.
Previous Election, 1910—S. F. Ridley (U) 2,675 E. H. Lamb (L) 2,543, Unionist majority 132.

EXETER.
H St Maur (L) 4,786
H Duke (U).....4,782
Liberal majority..... 4

Liberal gain.
Previous Election 1910—H. Duke K C (U) 4,900, H S Muir (L) 4,876 U majority 26.

Good-Humoured Contest.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

According to the latest list for to-morrow, polling will take place in sixty-three Constituences, sixty-eight members being returned. The Constituencies include Bredford (3) Exeter, Hartlepool, Ipswich (2) and Wolverhampton (3).

Electioneering is everywhere paramount today, an army of speakers and canvassers storming the Constituencies, especially the doubtful ones.

Prophets are extremely backward, owing to the difficulties of the old register and the enormous number of removals, the successful tracing of which so frequently determines the issue.

In spite of its fierceness the contest has been a particularly good-humoured one throughout.

It is now evident that there will be four three-cornered fights in London, viz., in South Hackney, Kennington, East Pancras and Battersea.

Lord Morley and the Socialists.

Speaking in support of the candidature of Sir Henry Norman and Mr. Snowden, the Socialist, at Blackburn, Lord Morley declared that he was not a Socialist and did not approve of some of their proposals, but in view of the Socialists' motives, and their intense sympathy with the unfortunate, he declined to thrust them out.

If they put the Tories in power, they would see more quackery and economic charlatanry, from their so-called social reforms, than if they returned a hundred Snowdens.

Candidate's Generous Offer.

The election of Mr. Haworth for South Manchester was unexpected.

The Unionist candidate, Mr. Glazebrook mistook the time of the closing for nomination, and arrived six minutes late.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

Mr. Haworth has offered to resign, if Mr. Glazebrook wishes to contest South Manchester.

Mr. Winston Churchill, speaking at Frodsham, (Cheshire), yesterday evening, said it was possible to secure for the Irish, a system of Government similar to the South African settlement and thus strengthen the Empire. On the conclusion of his speech, Mr. Churchill proceeded by motor-car and special train to Grimsby, where he replied to Mr. Balfour's speech at midnight.

Premier's Message to Yorkshire.

Mr. Asquith, in his message to Yorkshire, says he is confident that the shrewd Yorkshiremen will not be misled by the shifty expedients with which the Tories are endeavouring to evade a clear issue.

Mr. Redmond at Walsall denied that he desired to smuggle in Home Rule. The people had been consulted on that question at the last two elections.

A Commercial Unity.

Mr. Balfour, speaking at Grimsby, repudiated the suggestion that the Unionists were destroying the Parliamentary system. The House of Commons was no longer a place for free debate. The Government, who, in an unprecedented manner, had curtailed its liberties, now advanced the intolerable and absurd claim that the House of Commons should control, unchecked, the destinies of the Empire.

"The House of Commons, nowadays, under the group system, may not in the least, represent the will of the people."

This was a Government, which at the bidding of a faction, subsidised by foreign money, was embarking on a revolution, and claiming a mandate for Home Rule, on which the people had not been consulted. The only escape from this intolerable situation was the Referendum. Tariff Reform was in the very forefront of the Unionist programme.

Mr. Balfour continued:—"By an arrangement with sister-states, we will make the Empire a great commercial unity, and hold our own against our great commercial rivals."

Mr. Austen Chamberlain, speaking at Darlington, dwelt chiefly with the subject of Tariff Reform. He said that a scheme would be framed if the Unionists were returned, and the people would then be able to say whether they liked it or not.

Press Comments.

The *Times* states that the true inner meaning of the sudden adoption and enthusiastic reception of the Referendum idea is the prospect otherwise of party Government gone mad owing to the perpetual see-saw of two extremes.

In best informed quarters, it is now opined that the Unionists will gain on the balance. If the gain amounts to between 20 and 30, then the Government is likely to resign.

Election Betting.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

The betting on the North-West Manchester Election is even money.

The *Spectator* anticipates that the coalition majority will be reduced to between 30 and 40.

The *Daily Telegraph* expects that the Unionists will record ten gains in the provinces and also three in London, to-day.

Ulster Council Calls for Arms.

The Ulster Unionist Council has decided to invite tenders for the supply of arms and ammunition to be delivered immediately.

Mr. Churchill, attempting to speak at Lincoln, during the polling was shouted down.

Mr. Lloyd-George, having lost his voice as the result of a cold, Colonel Seely is fulfilling his engagements.

"Parties Changed Platforms."

Lord Rosebery, addressing an enthusiastic audience of 4,000 people at Edinburgh, said that the parties seemed to have changed platforms; the Unionists were wise and moderate, while the Liberals were resorting to Single Chamber Government. The Conservatives had come round to his views on the hereditary question. A man, who never changed his opinions, was an ass.

Mr. Asquith, addressing a meeting of 5,000 people at Newcastle, said the election was most paradoxical. The Conservatives had now changed the cut of their uniform, while the Liberals stood unchanged for Free Trade and a free House of Commons.

More Funds for the Irish Party.

Boston telegrams state that the United Irish League yesterday forwarded to the Nationalists another ten thousand dollars.

Government Resignation Possible.

LONDON, Dec. 4.

The Unionists did not do as well as they expected in the election, but if the proportion of gains is maintained, the result will be awkward for the Government, and will probably result in their resignation.

The Liberals are gratified at the staunchness of London and Manchester, especially at the defeat of Mr. Bonar Law, and the reduction of Unionist majorities in Birmingham. There is an extraordinary similarity in the majorities to those in January, although there is a marked decrease in the total vote, due to numerous removals. The inclement weather also is preventing lively scenes in the streets.

Mr. Aitken, who won Ashton-under-Lyne for the Unionists, is a young Canadian.

Mr. Asquith, in a message to London, calls on it to give the lead to the whole of England in a most momentous struggle. The vital principle of democracy, he says, is at stake, namely, the principle of representative government.

AMERICAN FRIENDSHIP FOR BRITAIN.

An Asset in Case of War.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

A luncheon with full civic ceremonial was to-day offered to the officers of the American fleet at the Guildhall. There was a large and distinguished company present including Mr McKenna, Mr. Balfour, Lord Selborne and Lord Fisher and numerous British admirals.

The Lord Mayor, in toasting the guests, said, "Britain cannot think of America as a foreign power." America, he added, was an integral part of the English-speaking race. He dwelt on the growing leanings towards arbitration.

Admiral Murdoch responded and was enthusiastically cheered.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

At a banquet given to the men of the American fleet at the Guildhall to-day, Commander Sims, replying to the Lord Mayor, said he personally believed that if the British Empire were seriously menaced by an external enemy it might count on every man, every dollar and every drop of blood of their kindred across the sea.

SERIOUS FLOODS IN FRANCE.

Hundreds of Families Homeless.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

Alarming floods have occurred in France particularly in the Loire Valley. Seven thousand people have been thrown out of work at Nantes, and hundreds of families are homeless. The railways are submerged. A dam has burst at Montjean, flooding the whole district. The situation in Paris is less threatening.

GERMAN STEAMER AGROUND.

LONDON, Dec 3.

A Ferim telegram reports that the German steamer "Walhalla" bound for Calcutta has become stranded at Rasalara. A steamer has gone to her assistance.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT'S TOUR ENDED.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

Reuter wires from Durban that the Duke and Duchess of Connaught sailed for home to-day. They were given a magnificent send-off by great cheering crowds. The ships were dressed, and salutes were fired from the batteries.

Mr. H.M. Pritchard, an Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects, who was appointed Buildings' Engineer for the Rangoon Municipality, having been declared, at Home medically unfit, the appointment is now to be given to one of the next of the 225 candidates who applied for the post Mr. Ballardie, who is also a member of the institute of British Archilicts.

TRANS-PERSIAN RAILWAY PROJECT.

Official Approval Necessary.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.

M. Timiriazeff, a member of the Russia Imperial Council, who is interested in the trans-Persian railway project, has arrived in London.

In an interview he admitted that the time had not yet arrived to enter into details. The situation in Persia did not warrant any discussion of the subject at present, and it was improbable that the British Ministers would be able to consider it before February.

They must have the official and positive approval of the British and Russian Governments before the next step could be taken, namely the formation of a committee to study the details, including question of finance, the possibility of profit, the need of Government guarantees, German and French financial support, in addition to British and Russian and other most serious matters, all of which must be settled before a big international company could be formed.

ITALY AND TURKEY.

Development of Tripoli.

LONDON, Dec. 3.

In the Rome Chamber, speaking in the debate on foreign estimates, Signor Guiliano said the relations between Turkey and Italy were of a most friendly character. Italy desired that the integrity of the Ottoman Empire should be maintained, and that Tripoli should remain always Turkish.

"But Tripoli," he went on, "lying between Egypt and Tunis, both of which are Progressive, cannot remain undeveloped. Italy is accordingly anxious that Turkish capital and labour should be used in its development in the first instance, and Italian capital and labour have a share, when foreign capital and labour are used."

Friendly negotiations were proceeding with Britain relating to the trade of Somaliland. Danger from the Mullah seemed to have diminished. Signor Guiliano reaffirmed Italy's pacific aims, and declared that her policy was based on the Triple Alliance.

RUSSIAN IMPERIAL RESCRIPT.

Experimental Mobilisation Ordered.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Reuter wires from St Petersburg that an Imperial Rescript, dated October 19th, but only published to-day, has ordered an experimental mobilisation in the military district of Kafs.

CHOLERA IN MADEIRA.

Cape Bound Steamers not to Call.

LONDON, Dec. 2.

Reuter wires from Cape Town that, in consequence of the cholera epidemic at Madeira, the Government is arranging to prevent ships from calling at Madeira 'en route' to the Cape.

THE MOHURRAM.

Future Procession Route.

With a view to the better regulation of traffic and to preserve order, the Commissioner of Police has issued a notification, setting forth the prescribed route to be followed by processions during the Mohurram. The notification, which has the approval of His Excellency the Governor-in-Council, sets forth that (1) Tolis, Taboots, Panjas and Dholeeka Panjas, and Mela and Swari processions must proceed northwards up Khoja Street. No procession moving northwards to Grant Road shall go by any street except Khoja Street. (2) Tolis, Taboots, Panjas, and Dholeeka Panjas, and Mela and Swari processions after leaving Grant Road and after visiting certain mohollas of the "E" Division, as has been customary in the past, shall proceed to the "J. J. Hospital corner and shall move thence down Bhendy Bazaar," past Paidhoni and down Kalbadevi Road to Carnac Road and from there direct to the Bandar. (3) No procession moving southwards to Kalbadevi Road and Carnac Road shall go by any street except Parel Road (Bhendy Bazaar).

The following streets in the "C" Division will be closed throughout the Mohurram to all processions:—Channa Butcher Street, Mutton Street, Doctor Street, Dhabu Street, Pakmodia Street.

The orders contained in clauses (1) and (2) above shall not be held to affect any Taboot which is immersed at the Hornby Vellard, Mazagaon Bandar or other places north of those two areas, or any procession accompanying such Taboot.

The attention of all Mohurram license-holders and processionists is directed to the rules to regulate religious processions during the Mohurram, issued by the Commissioner of Police under Section 23 of Act IV of 1902, and in particular to the rule under Section 23 (2) (a) which is printed as Rule 8 upon the Mohurram permit issued by the Commissioner of Police, regarding the carrying of "swords, spears, bludgeons, guns or other offensive weapons" in any public place. Under the head of "bludgeons and of other offensive weapons" are included "lathis and heavy sticks." This rule 8 of the permit will be strictly enforced.

The Government have decided that these precautions are necessary because the experience of the last few years has shown that the use of certain streets by the Taboots tends to cause disorder during the Mohurram. The disturbances, which have occurred on more than one occasion, inevitably bring discredit, which it is most desirable to avoid in future, on the Mahomedan community as a whole. The Government, therefore, appeal with confidence to the good sense of the members of all sects of that community to co-operate with them in preventing any repetition of such incidents.

Any person desiring a Mohurram license or permit must apply in person to the Commissioner of Police at the Head Police Office at least a fortnight before the commencement of the month of Mohurram.

The death of Lieut-Col. Rivers Mantell, late of the Indian Medical Service, is announced at Hastings, at the age of seventy-seven. Col. Mantell took the M. B. degree of London University in 1855, and was admitted a member of the Royal College of Surgeons England in the same year.

CANNING TOWN STATION COLLAPSE.

Larger Disaster Luckily Averted.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

In connection with the recent Canning Town disaster, in which two walls and arches of the Railway Station collapsed, causing the death of an assistant stationmaster on duty, further developments have taken place. Repairs to the walls and arches were being carried out by a contractor, in the course of which seven or eight "tie pins" which serve as the several cross-bars supporting the roof were taken out where only two should have been taken out. The result of this was that the walls eased a little outwards and the roof, having no other support, fell, while the walls also came to the ground.

Only four minutes prior to the accident a train conveying about 500 passengers had left the station. The passengers had all purchased their tickets from the offices next to which the stationmaster was killed. Had the train in any way been delayed for a few minutes, there is no doubt that nearly all the passengers would have perished.

The men, employed in carrying out the repairs were seriously injured and were brought down to Calcutta. They are at present detained in the Campbell hospital. The station master appears to have been seated in his chair, counting over the day's earnings which he had pilled on the the table in front of him, at the time of the accident.

When the police arrived on the scene, it was ascertained that no less than four tons of masonry had fallen on the deceased. The unfortunate man was found in a shocking condition. The chair on which he was sitting was found embedded about a foot in the ground, and he was doubled up with his head and feet together. His back was completely broken in two, and his neck also broken. The money which the deceased had been counting, and which amounted to Rs. 115, was found buried beneath the debris.

A thorough examination of the premises was made by the railway authorities and the police. The former put the accident down to the sinking of the pillars of the side walls, due to the tidal effects on the soil in which the water is said to have percolated. The police are of a different opinion, and are proceeding with a vigorous enquiry into the matter and further developments are expected.

ALLEGED CULPABLE HOMICIDE.

Re-trial Ordered.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
MADRAS, Dec. 3.

On behalf of the Government of Madras, the Public Prosecutor argued a revision of the petition against an order passed by the District Magistrate of Anantapur, discharging Private Tubby, 13th Hussars, who was charged with culpable homicide amounting to murder, in respect of two persons, who were shot by him at the Hindupur Railway Station.

The District Magistrate discharged the accused, holding that he had acted in self-defence. The Public Prosecutor submitted that the evidence did not disclose any circumstances, which would justify the exercise of the right of self-defence by the accused.

Mr. Justice Sankaran Nair set aside the order of discharge and ordered a retrial.

CROWN PRINCE'S TOUR.

Big Game Shoot Arranged.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
ALLAHABAD, Dec. 3.

A big game shoot for the German Crown Prince, in the Mirzapur jungles, will last from the 17th to the 24th of January. The Prince will then visit Allahabad to see the Exhibition.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

The following appointments are notified :—

Lieut.-Col. H. N. Taylor as Deputy Inspector-General of Military Police.

Lieut.-Col. Roch, to the Command of the 6th Jats, vice Col. Young, vacating.

Lieut.-Col. J. A. Douglas as Commandant, 39th Central India Horse.

Major R. N. Johnson as Brigade Major, Bareilly Brigade, vice Major Dudgeon, who vacates.

Major Venour, to the command of the 58th Rifles, vice Johnstone, vacating.

Captain C. L. R. Grey, R.G.A., Quetta, is transferred to the Home establishment.

Major A. H. Kane is posted to No. 82 R.G.A., Attock.

Major F. A. Wilson, from leave, is posted to the Military Works, Abbottabad, and Major K. J. Barton to the Bannu Brigade.

RANGOON, Dec. 3.

Lieut.-Colonel Parkin, C.I.E, Deputy Inspector-General of Military, Police, has been appointed Inspector-General of Police, in Burma, in the room of Colonel Peile, C.I.E, Inspector-General of Police, whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Government of India.

Lieut-Colonel Hugh N. Taylor, D.S.O., I.A, whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma, is appointed Deputy Inspector-General of Military Police, Burma, in place of Mr. Parkin.

MATHERAN MUNICIPALITY.

A general meeting of the Matheran Municipality was held on Saturday afternoon at Matheran in the Superintendent's Office, Major E. F. Gordon Tucker presiding.

There were present the Hon'ble Mr. Abdulla Hussine, Mr. Chinoy, Mr. F. C. Mehta, Mr. Panday, Mr. Wadia and Mr. Ghandhy.

Several items of formal business having been disposed of the Board proceeded to consider the report of the Educational Inspector. In this connection the Board resolved to sanction an annual grant of Rs. 85.9, as the number of children at the local school had increased to 99 and it was deemed desirable to teach English also in the primary school.

The next business before the meeting was the consideration of the Government Sanitary Engineer's report regarding the improvement of water supply. The Board decided to ask for a further and more fully detailed report on the subject.

The Board then considered a reference from the Collector of Kolaba for paying the amounts of suits regarding earth and stone fees recently deceded by the High Court. After some discussion the Board decided to inform Government that the Board would pay the whole amount of fees recovered with interest at 3 1-2 per cent., but the costs of the suits should be borne by Government.

Consideration was given to a reference from the Collector of Kolaba as to whether it was desirable to allow a second bungalow to be built in every plot measuring over two acres, on payment of a premium and provided the construction of a second bungalow did not invade the privacy of or prejudicially affected an existing bungalow in the next plot or was not otherwise objectionable.

A very hot discussion ensued and it was by a large majority resolved to reject the proposal of allowing two bungalows in one plot, only one councillor being in favour of it.

THE EXPOSITION AT GOA.

15,000 VISITORS EACH DAY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
NOVA GOA, Dec. 3.

The Exposition of Saint Francis Xavier's body continues with true reverence and good order, more than 15,000 persons being every day admitted to the ceremony of kissing the Saint's feet. Every day, large pilgrimages, from different parishes, to the Bom Jesus Church, are starting from the Cathedral in magnificent processions. Many hotels, restaurants and shops have been opened in the old city of Goa to provide accommodation for the pilgrims and other visitors. To-day being the Saint's feast day, there is a religious ceremony in the Bom Jesus Church.

[St. Francis Xavier was one of the first batch of the Order of Jesuits founded by St. Ignatius Loyola, who won him to his mission at the Paris University, where Francis Xavier was a Professor, and Ignatius Loyala, a student, though much older than Xavier. St. Francis Xavier came out to India by the old route round the Cape in 1543. After a most successful mission on the West Coast, during which time he passed by Bombay to Bassein three times; and converted a very large number of Indians especially on the Fishery coast of Travancore, he, proceeded to Malacca and Japan [and was on his way to China, when his most active missionary career was cut short by death in 1552, on the little island of Sancian, near Hongkong. His body, which was found in splendid preservation, was brought to Goa, and many miracles are recorded. After the right arm was cut, for the process of canonization in Rome, when much blood is reported to have been lost, the body has shrunk. Still the body is entire, except for the right arm and the big toe of the right foot which was bitten off by a woman who a desired to possess a relic.]

INDO-EUROPEAN TELEGRAPHS.

Anxiety for Mekran Coast.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

The administration report of the Indo-European Telegraph Department for the year 1908-10 declares a net profit earned at close upon four (3·941) per cent. on capital outlay, compared with 2¾ per cent. in the preceding year and 3 1-3 per cent. in 1907-08.

The report states that the presence of Afghan gunrunners has caused considerable anxiety for the safety of the lines along the Mekran Coast, but only a few insulators were broken and one interruption, lasting twenty-three and a half hours, was caused. The department is now working the wireless installation at Jask established by the Indian telegraphs.

A Persian wire reports that the general condition of the country districts, during the year, has again been most unsafe, murders, brigandage and robberies being of frequent occurrence. Several members of the departmental staff were held-up while on transfer or other, duty, and robbed of their belongings.

The Teheran-Mashed line worked satisfactorily during the year, and was interrupted for 368 hours, one interruption of 120 hours being caused by Turkomans using the poles for firewood during one of their raids into Persia.

THE SAGAING RISING.

Minhlaung's Statement.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
RANGOON, Dec. 4.

Minhlaung Po Than, his uncle and his two lieutenants left this morning under Police escort for Myingyan. The seven men released yesterday are understood to have had no connection with Minhlaung. The Deputy Inspector-General of Police interviewed Minhlaung and recorded his statement at the lock-up. He is said to have admitted that he was the man who was wanted for the rising in Sagaing and the attack on Myinnu. He gave other information, which is not available, and which should prove of use to the police; but as to the rising or those responsible for it he maintained a stolid silence.

COMING CORONATION ARRANGEMENS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
ALLAHABAD, Dec. 3.

The preliminary arrangements for the Coronation Durbar at Delhi will be taken on hand at once. A survey of ground, available for camps, must presumably be taken in hand in the first instance.

RAILWAY TRAIN DERAILED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
BENARES, Dec 4.

The Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway train, which left Allahabad at 18.25 for Moghal Sarai via Janghai, was derailed near Phaphamau station and consequently the train arrived at Benares this morning at 7-30 instead of half past ten last night. No injury is reported. Among the passengers was Mr. George Arundall, Principal, Central Hindu College.

CALCUTTA RACING.

First Extra Meeting.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

The Calcutta first extra meeting was held on Saturday. The following were the results :—

ZEERUT PLATE, R C and Distance; over 6 flights.

SHANNON LASS, 10-2.....Cadsden 1
PANTRY GIRL, 10-7.....Hayhoe 2
LADY VERA, 11-4.....Captain Charrington 3

ALSO RAN :—Waverly, 10:7, Lou, 9.

The race was won by 6 lengths. with 10 lengths; between second and third. Time—3 minutes 34 and 4-5 seconds.

LILLIPUTIAN PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

CIRCUS GIRL, 8-9.....Robinso n1
FIRST COIN, 8-12.....Firt h2
BIT O' FASHION, 9-3.....Ames 3
VILLAGE MAID, 8-5.....Southall 4

Won by 1-2 length 2 1 2 lengths between second and third. Time 1 minute, 5 4 5 seconds.—

THE BEGINNERS' PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

SOLUTION, 9-3.....A Hoyt 1
GREVILLEA, 8-9.....Whalley 2
SOPHOCLES, 8-12.....Kuhn 3
RIFLEBUT, 9-1.....Barrat 4

ALSO RAN.—Recluse, 9-3; Bright Metal, 9-3: Yum Yum, 8-12.

The race was won by a neck head between second and third. Time—1 minute 3 and 4-5 seconds.

CRITERION PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

PUNT 9-10, ...Trenoweth 1
CASTALIA, 9-10, ...Robinson 2

ALSO RAN.—Chain Lighting, 9-10; Arabian Night, 9-3; Rapin, 8-10; Wavehill, 8-10; Bambius; 8-10.

Time—1 minute 2 and 4-5 seconds.

THE PONY PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs:

RUPERT, 7-12.....Ferguson 1
SAFETY Pin, 8-11.....Hill 2
PAT C. 8-12.....Evers 3

ALSO RAN.—Fadgie, 9-13; Precede, 9-3; Etna, 8-9; the Diver, 8-4; Naini 8-1.

The race was won by 5 1-2 lengths one length between second and third. Time—1-3 3-5.

ROLUB PLATE.—Distance 1 mile.

SOYAL SCOTLAND 9-1.....C. Hoyt 1
GALLILEO, 9-10.....Hill 2
HOLTO, 8-4.....Barrett 3

ALSO RAN.—Ardes, 9-7; Divereux 1 9-3; Red Cell, 8-10; Lefterin, 8-10.

The race was won by 3-4 len hs; 2 1-2 length between second and third.

THE Congress Receptions Committee have offered the Presidentship of the twenty-fourth Indian Social Conference to the Raja Rampal Singh of Kori. The Sichanti Conference will be held on December 30, in the Congress Pandal.

BOMBAY HIGH COURT.

NASIK CONSPIRACY CASE.

Alleged Police Torture.

ADVOCATE-GENERAL'S ADDRESS.

THE hearing of the Nasik Conspiracy Case was resumed on Saturday at the Bombay High Court before the Special Tribunal consisting of the Hon'ble Sir Basil Scott, Chief Justice, the Hon'ble Sir Narayen G. Chandavarkar and the Hon'ble Mr. J. J. Heaton.

Accused Kashikar said that he was induced by the police to make the confession. He was not a member of any secret society. He was arrested without a warrant and taken to Nasik.

The accused Savarkar said he was innocent. He did not recognise the jurisdiction of this Court to try him and therefore he had nothing to explain.

The Hon'ble the Advocate-General then addressed the Court. He said that the accused had made long statements, which occupied many days and he would refer to them in his address later on. The whole of the case tried to be made out by the accused was that the prosecution evidence was wholly a concocted case got up by the police.

The accused had made wholesale allegations of ill-treatment and torture and the explanation given by them of the confessions was that the documents were ready written and that they were forced to sign them. That, the learned Advocate-General said, amounted to a conspiracy on the part of Mr. Palsikar and his clerks, Mr. Kopkar and his clerks, and Mr. Guider to get the accused convicted of an offence, which they had not committed.

To this long list accused Kashikar had added the name of Mr. Kennedy, Inspector-General of Police. The accused here tried to make out that the confessions were not voluntary, that they were ready written out and that they were forced to sign them. They had made allegations of torture, but no complaint seemed to have been made.

The only man who made any complaint of any kind was Khare. What he complained of was that his moustaches were pulled out in Bombay, but he was unable to give the name of any man who had so ill-treated him. All the ill-treatment was alleged to have been practised in the Sarkarwada, which was a public place and which was visited from time to time by European Police Officers and it was very strange that their attention was not drawn to that fact. The place was visited by Mr. Montgomerie and Mr. Guider and Mr. Palsikar and Mr. Kopkar were also there, and it was impossible to believe that the Magistrates would allow such a thing to be done under their very eyes.

The accused were not children. They were grown up men and some of them well educated, and it was impossible that the fact of their ill-treatment should not have been brought to the notice of the authorities and the grievances redressed.

It was pretty obvious that the accused made the confessions which were very long and contained full details of the parts they took and it was impossible for the police to get the details and keep them ready written so that the accused could go before the Magistrate and merely sign the statements. What the accused in this Court intended to convey to the mind of the Court really came to this, that all the statements of articles found in the various searches were a mere concoction on the part of the police.

A Widespread Conspiracy.

In this case the police in unearthing the crime came to know of a widespread conspiracy and what was important for them was not the conviction of the accused but to get at the truth when they saw that the murder of the Collector had been committed. Mr. Guider was in charge of the case and he saw that the conspiracy was a widespread, and that the murder had been facilitated by the importation of pistols. There were two main questions in the case for the Court to decide. The first was whether there was a conspiracy as alleged by the prosecution, and the second was whether the accused were the persons who had taken part in that conspiracy. The first point was amply proved by the evidence of the various articles found in the searches, and if they believed Koregaonkar and Chaturbhuj there would be no doubt in the mind of the Court that there were secret societies, which had various branches. V. Savarkar had translated the life of Mazzini and the publication of the book showed what views he held before he left India. Before the book was published there was a great number of persons in Nasik, who agreed with his views. A good deal of evidence was given of the "Mitra Melas" held in the "wada" and the meetings of the secret society held in Savarkar's house. When the "Mitra Melas" were first held they had religious significance, but from the evidence it was clear that Savarkar and others held quite different views. The reasonable inference to be drawn from those secret meetings was that there was a conspiracy in 1906 against the Government. Gosawi, who was a member of the secret society had said that in 1906 the object of the society at Nasik was independence, and that it was resolved to collect arms and money to achieve the object. The literature read at the meetings was books on the life of Mazzini and such like, and Gosawi had told them that one book was read at the meeting more than fifteen times. It was some time after that, that Gosawi who was a member of the society disapproved of the reading of that book, but as his advice was not taken he left the society. After that it was very likely that he did not know much of Karve and Soman's secret societies, but it did not follow that V. Savarkar did not know what the doings of those societies were. Soon after V. Savarkar got to England, he translated the life of Mazzini into Marathi with an introduction and the book was published in May 1907. In October 1906 Koregaonkar met V. Savarkar in the India House, but he was so much afraid of the discussions that took place there that he left the place. In May 1908 V. Savarkar addressed a big meeting. At that meeting Rana and Iyer were at present, and it was at that meeting that the mutiny medals and the pamphlets entitled "O Martyrs" were distributed. In May 1908 Chaturbhuj went to the India House as a cook and it was clear from the evidence of Mr. Parker, Koregaonkar, Chaturbhuj and Chanjerirao that V. Savarkar was carrying out the work he had undertaken in India.

After describing the doings of V. Savarkar in England the learned Advocate-General described what action secret societies at Nasik were doing. At this time there were two secret societies known as Karve and Soman societies. In May 1908 those societies were working actively and their object was to gain independence for the country by collecting arms and money. The money was to be obtained by committing dacoities. One of their objects was to murder the State officials. Dharap was the link between the two societies and Ganu Vaidya was the most active member. In the early part of the year Ganu and Dandekar were taught to prepare picric acid by Soman and Deshpande, and that was amply proved by the evidence in the case. If Chaturbhuj's story was true there was no doubt that he brought with him 20 pistols to Bombay on the 7th March.

The case was then adjourned till to-day.

POLICE COURTS.

POCKET-PICKING.

ON Saturday, at the Esplanade Police Court, before Mr. A. H. S. Aston, Chief Presidency Magistrate, Inspector Lewis placed one Ladha Gansi on a charge of stealing a watch and chain valued at Rs. 10, belonging to one Nensey Malsey. Mr. Vijayakar, Pleader, appeared for the prosecution.

The charge against the accused was that the complainant Nensey was walking along Null Bazaar Road on Friday night, when the accused gave him a push and took the watch and chain from his pocket. The accused tried to slip the articles into his own pocket, when he was seized by the complainant and handed over to a policeman.

The accused in his statement to the Court said that he and his would-be-father-in-law were not on good terms with each other, and that the present charge had been brought against him to get him into trouble. A stranger tried to force the watch and chain into his pocket. Just then the complainant came there and assaulted him. His Worship said he disbelieved the complainant's story and he discharged the accused.

His Worship fined the complainant Rs. 25 for bringing a false charge against the accused. The fine, if paid, was ordered to be given to the accused as compensation.

CHARGE OF BRIBERY IN HYDERABAD.

BEFORE Captain Yule, District Magistrate and Superintendent Residency Bazars, Hyderabad, two persons, Somseundrum and Zakaulla were charged under Sessions 161, 116, and 34, with conspiring to bribe Mr. E. Edwards, a clerk in the Residency Office on the 31st October, 1910, by promising to pay Rs. 100 to him. Further Somsaundrum is additionally charged under the Official Secrets Act with attempting to obtain copies of some confidential documents from the Residency Office.

The prosecution was conducted by Mr. B. K. Judge, Public Prosecutor, and the accused were defended by Mr. Kazi Kabiruddin, Barrister, and Messrs. C. J. and F. X. De Santos and Mr. Krishnamaharri.

The accused were arrested on the 31st October and released on bail on 1st November. Mr. F. S. Henley, Extra Assistant Resident, filed his complaint against the accused on 11th November and in his examination on that day he said that from information received he had reason to believe that an attempt would be made to obtain copies of certain confidential records from the Residency Office on 31st October, 1910. He took up his position in the Residency Press in company with Mr. Crawford, Superintendent Railway Police, in the morning of that date. At about 8-15 a.m. Mr. Crawford drew his attention to a man, who was walking slowly past the offices towards the Empress gate. He was dressed in Hyderabad costume and wore a red fez. So far as he could see he was not employed any where within the Residency. He returned back from Empress gate and walked out of sight towards the Second Assistant's house. At about 8-30 a.m. Mr. Crawford and himself walked into the office and went to the confidential record room, the door of which was open. There they found Mr. Edwards and a stranger whom he did not know. The stranger, who subsequently gave his name as Sama-Sundra Pillai, was sitting at a table copying from a confidential file. Witness took the paper he was writing on and the file away from him. Mr. Edwards stated that Pillai had come to copy certain confidential papers and he (Edwards) was to receive Rs. 100 for allowing access to the papers. Edwards added he had not received the Rs. 100. Somsaundrum Pillai admitted he had come to copy the papers and said he had been tempted by certain individuals who he called "the Nawab," "the Secretary" and "Abbass Ali." Mr. Crawford took Somsaundrum Pillai away with him, but before he left witness asked him to note on the paper. I filed herewith, the circumstances under which it was found. Somsaundrum Pillai told us in the office he was a clerk in the Local Fund Office and though at first, he, said he knew no one in the Residency Office and saw a stranger, he subsequently stated, he was acquainted with Parthagarady, a clerk of the issue branch of the Residency Office. He learnt that the man whom they had seen walking can be identified by the Police.

At the hearing of the case on the 17th November, the Public Prosecutor filed the sanction of the Local Government to the trial of the accused P. Somsaundrum under the Official Secrets Act. An objection was then raised to the joint trial of the accused. The case was proceeded with.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

SQUADRON ORDERS,
BY MAJOR H. E. E. PROCTER, A.D.C.,
COMMANDING.

Bombay, 5th December.

1. Orderly N C Officer for the week—Corporal A H Byrt, next for duty, Corpl F C Annesley.

2. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday next, Riding School for all members at 7-15 a.m.

3. Tuesday the 6th instant—Commanding Officer's Parade, Church Gate Station 7-30 a.m. punctually.

Dress—Drill, Order, Khaki, Carbines and Swords.

E. W. WILSON, Lieut.,
Actg.-Adjt. B. L. H.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LIEUT. COLONEL A. K. LESLIE V. D. COMMANDING B. V. A.

Bombay, 5th December.

244. Parade.—Saturday the 10th December.

Nos 1 and 2 Company parade at the Old Saluting Battery Apollo Bunder at 5 p.m. for Spr Q F Gun Drill.

Dress—Khaki and Forage Caps.

E E Company—Parade at 6-30 p.m. on Tuesday 6th instant at Apollo Bunder and proceed to Middle Ground Fort for Defence Light Manning.

245. Strength—Gunner F F Oliver No 1 Company having resigned is struck off the strength of the Corps from to-day's date.

246. Orderly Sergeants for the ensuing week.

Sergt C B Banks No 1 Company.
Sergt A W Barker No 2 Company.

E. P. CUDLIP, Lieut., R.A.,
Adjutant, B. V. A.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY COL. R. W. L. DUNLOP, V.D.

Bombay, 5th December.

1120. Detail for the week ending 10th instant :—

To-day Monday the 5th instant—"G" Coy Recruits Parade on the Maidan at 7-30 a.m.

II. All Recruits of the current season and Proficiency Candidates will parade on the Oval at 6-30 p.m.

Tuesday the 6th instant.—Bugle Practice on the Maidan at 8-30 p.m.

Wednesday the 7th instant—Commanding Officer's Parade.

Fall in at Sir Richard Temple's Statue at 6 p.m.

Dress—Drill Order, Uniform with caps.

Subject—Company drill and Fire Discipline, Sections 59 to 74 Part II Infantry Training 1905 (reprinted with amendments 1908).

Thursday the 8th instant.—The Signalling Class will parade at 7 a.m. at Sir Richard Temple's Statue.

II. Proficiency Class will be held at Head Quarters at 6-30 p.m.

Friday the 9th instant.—"E," Coy. Parade at Sir Richard Temple's Statue at 9-15 p.m.

Dress.—Drill Order Mufti.

1121. Rifle Club—The attention of members is drawn to Rifle Club Rule No 21 which must be strictly observed.

1122. Musketry—Rifle Club.—The Miniature Range at Head-Quarters will be open for Matches 3 to 4 and practice on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6 to 7-30 p.m. and Saturdays from 3 to 5-30 p. m.

II. Classification Ranges.—The Great Kopar Ranges are allotted to the Rifle Club matches 5 to 8 on Tuesday 6th instant by train leaving Victoria Terminus at 6 a.m.

Saturday 17th instant by train leaving Victoria Terminus at 1-50 p.m.

Sunday 18th and Tuesday 27th instant by train leaving Victoria Terminus at 6 a.m.

I.V.R.A. Matches may be fired on any of the above days.

1123. It is notified for information that Bayonets should be taken to the Range by members who are firing the Annual Course of Musketry.

1124. Medals.—Applications for Volunteer Long Service Medal should reach Adjutant's Office by the 15th instant.

1125. Leave—The Commanding Officer has been pleased to grant leave of absence to No 6752 Vol D Watson, "G" Coy from 3rd December 1910 to 2nd December 1911.

A. L. CARTWRIGHT, Capt.,
Adjt. B. V. A.

ARRIVALS.

Per s. s. "Praga," Dec. 4.

The following passengers arrived here by the Austrian Lloyd's s.s. "Praga," from Trieste and intermediate ports on Sunday morning the 4th instant:—

Abramoff, Miss D
Bass, Mr
Besrooker, Revd
Black Mr J
Blennerhasset, Sir and Lady A.
Bilimoria, Mr J M
Chambers, Mr
Dennys, Col G W P
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Farquharson, Mrs infant and nurse
Fennell, Mr C J
Freyn, Mr A
Frick, Mr
Greenham, Mr
Gunther, Mr C E
Gebauer, Mr Ant
Godley, Mrs J C
Haas, Miss A
Hahn, Mr and Mrs, infant and nurse
Herswell, Mr
Helms, Mr G
Hefferland, Mr R
Hirschler, Mr and Mrs
Herbst, Mr G
John, Revd and Mrs and 2 infants
Kehr, Mrs P
Kerr, Mr H
Loffmann, Mr and Mrs
Lenz, Mr J
Laughan, Mr
MacKimmon, Mr and Mrs R
MacKean, Mr
Omer, Latiff Bey, Mr
Phillips, Mr and Mrs F A
Phillip, Miss
Podlussany, Mr and Mrs
Robertson, Mr A
Schulz, Mrs and child
Sethna, Dr D P Mrs and child
Schuh, Mr A
Schilling, Mr
Schutz, Revd and Mrs, child and infant
Sidick Ebrahim, Mr
Smith, Miss Maud
Smith, Mr Bosworth
Twedell, Mrs
Twedell, Miss
Treby, Miss Violet
Tholens, Mr
Vellisaratos, Mrs
Weber, Mr
Woolbert, Mrs
Woolbert, Miss
Wigley, Mr and Mrs
Weissbausky, Mr S
Wyck, Mr and Mrs Th
Young, Mr E B
Zurakowska, His Excellency

SPORTING NEWS.

YACHTING IN BOMBAY.

BY RUDDER.

Saturday proved productive of sport, inasmuch as all claims were represented.

The anemometer, for gauging the rate of wind per hour and so helping to solve the complex problem of "A" class handicaps, was in good working order and registered a moderate wind at 6 p. m.

The Isca, although in commission, did not start in "A" class, as her new topsail, a beautiful jack yarder, one of Mackenzie's best, was not as yet fitting her, but ought to do, so like the proverbial "drink of water," by next Saturday. Sapphire is now being got ready, as her well known owner has at last returned, while Melody is having her new "wire" rigging rove against the Bombay winds.

In "B" class Lylie again lay languidly at her moorings and disappointment was felt by the class and her crew at her non-appearance.

At 3-15, after the grumbler of most of "A" class owners, at this early start, Turquoise slipped over the line first with only only one second to spare, followed by Eilean 14, seconds later with Mahshuka two seconds behind her.

In the free reach to Sunk Rock Eilean made good going and lead Mahshuka by 1 minute. Balloon canvas was "on evidence" in the run to South Karanja, but spinakers were a bit slow in appearing. Turquoise went well in the freshening wind and kept Eilean from getting too great a lead on rounding the Committee Vessel the first time. Mahshuka was some 7 minutes behind and Turquoise 10 minutes.

In the fifth and last leg of the course, from North Karanja back to Committee Vessel, both Eilean and Mahshuka overstood the mark a little, but finished in good time at half past five. Mahshuka secured her first prize for this season, and scored a popular win, apparent, from the plaudits of a critical few on the scnooner! The Club yacht is looking well and is now ready for all and sundry of the Club members to use as a picnic boat or an absolutely up-to-date modern flier!

Names of Boats.	Time All'ances.	Entered by	Time of Arrival.	Time of Corrected Time.
	M. S.		H. M. S.	H. M. S.
Eilean IV Scr.	E. C. Russell and J. F. Watson		5 27 24	2 12 24
Mahshuka 14 56	J. B. K. Macbeth		5 39 42	2 9 46
Turquoise 11 43	J. W. Stokes and F. J. Preston.....		5 43 7	2 16 24

Course: No. 47. From Committee vessel to Sunk Rock Port—South Karanja Port—Committee Vessel—Mark Buoy Port—Committee vessel. = 12 miles. Wind N. W. Strength moderate. Time-limit 6-15 p.m.

1st prize won by Mahshuka.

Poor deplected B, led by Trixie, crossed the line and reached for Sunk Rock. Antelope, full of beans and gallant warrant officers, pulled up considerably, but just failed to cut in on Erin at the mark. Trixie broke out her spinnaker smarily but was nearly "taken aback" by the jealous efforts of the lean corinthian on the spinnaker short!—Antelope with her centre board check-a-block made good going in the run to South Karanja and was only done out of the lead by Erin and Trixie in turn blanketting her. Trixie established an overlap and so rounded the mark first, being followed by Erin and Antelope. All 3 boats went well in the double reach to Mark Buoy and back, once Erin had made up her mind as to which the Mark Buoy was!!

In the beat Trixie increased her lead a lot and crossed the line 10 minutes ahead of Erin with her new silken streamer flying beautifully in the breeze. Antelope failed to tumble to the tide under her lee and so lost a lot in the close haul home, being 17 minutes behind Trixie. Knowledge of tides is all important in Bombay, so our youngest member of "B" class, viz. Antelope found herself rather left!!

Name of Boats.	Time All'ances.	Entered by	Time of Arrival.	Time of Corrected Time.
	M. S.		H. M. S.	H. M. S.
Trixie.....	Scr.	Embarking Syndicate ...	5 37 27	2 17 27
Antelope ...	5 5	Owen Wickshire Bgt.	5 57 8	2 32 8
Erin	Scr.	Honourable W. T. Morrison.	5 43 47	2 23 47

Course: No. 40. From Committee Vessel to Sunk Rock—South Karanja Buoy—Mark Buoy leaving all to port—South Karanja Buoy to Steard—Committee Vessel = 10·2 miles.—Wind N. W. Time-limit 6-15 p.m.

1st Prize won by Trixie.

The Tomtits were racing under the new class principles so Anna was unable to join being a fixed keel boat.

Clutha, in her new sails, crossed the line first, followed by Coralie, Mavourneen, Valkyrie and Pearl with Maud and Lapwing last, being 12 seconds behind Clutha.

In the reach to Sunk Rock Clutha with her new sails stole ahead and had a considerable lead on Coralie who went round with Maud on her lee followed by Mavourneen.

New canvas again told on the run and Clutha's lead was considerably increased. Maud gained on Coralie and just failed to round South Karanja Buoy before her. Lapwing picked up a bit and followed Valkyrie round the mark. Mavourneen gained a little on the return reach to the buoy at South Karanja, while Pearl, in her maiden race, passed Lapwing and lay well up for the Committee Vessel, but on the starboard instead of the port tack. Clutha again gained on the beat. Coralie and Maud had a fine tussle for 2nd prize which the former gained and secured the second gun; Lapwing and Pearl finished within 10 seconds of each other being 24 minutes behind Clutha.

Name of Boats.	Entered by.	Time of Arrival. H. M. S.	Correct Time. H. M. S.
Coralie.....	Major N. Kirby, R.E.	6 5 7	2 40 7
Maud.....	Officers R. E.....	6 5 14	2 40 14
Mavourneen.	Newman Taylor....	6 6 29	2 41 29
Clutha	J. J. Welch.....	6 0 16	2 35 16
Lapwing ...	C. N. Moberley...	6 6 24	2 59 34
Valkyrie.....	R. Walker.....	6 8 21	2 42 21
Pearl	A. E. Baird and N. North.....	6 6 24	2 59 24

Course: No. 40. Same as "B" Class. Time-limit 6-15 p.m.—Wind N W. Strength moderate. 1st prize won by Clutha, 2nd prize won by Coralie and 3rd prize won by Maud.

Since the last race our famous and gallant hearted ex-Commodore Scovell has passed away. No details are yet available, but we gather it was whist indulging on his favourite pastime of sailing. As a tribute of our respect for his memory, flegs were half-masted for seven days.

ALL INDIA CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP.

The All India Chess Tournament will be held at the Mayo Hall, Allahabad. It will commence on Monday, the 26th December, and, if possible, will conclude on Saturday, the 31st December. The hours of play will be from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m daily. Entries close on December 15th.

There will be a preliminary meeting at 9-30 p.m. on Saturday the 24th December at the Mayo Hall for drawing the boats, appointing a Committee for the Tournament and for the purpose of discussing the proposal for the formation of an All India Chess Association.

The following competitions will be held :—

The All India Championship—1st Prize—The Championship Trophy presented by Prince Yawar Hosain Khan of Palanpur and Rs. 250. 2nd Prize.—Rs. 150 Entrance fee Rs. 15.

The Minor Tournament—1st Prize—A Silver Cup presented by Prince Yawar Hosain Khan of Palanpur and Rs. 200. 2nd Prize—Rs. 100, Entrance fee Rs. 10.

The Indian Tournament—(Played under Indian Rules). 1st Prize—A set of Silver Chessmen presented by Prince Yawar Hosain Khan of Palanpur and Rs. 100. 2nd Prize—Rs. 50. Entrance fee Rs. 5.

A Problem Solving Competition—1st Prize—Rs. 50. Entrance free.

Mr. A. H. C. HAMILTON,
Bar-at-Law, Allahabad, is the Hony. Secy.

DACCA SHOOTING CASE.

Accused Acquitted: Case Referred.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 3.

In the Dacca Shooting Case, in which two political suspects were charged with shooting by the Criminal Investigation Department, the jury, after two hours' retirement, by a majority of, three to two found the accused not guilty. The Judge, differing, referred the case to the High Court.

MR. R N. MUKERJEE has definitely accepted the Presidentship of the forthcoming Industrial Conference.

LADIES' CORNER.

THE PEARL.

Naturally perfect, and requiring little or no art to enhance their beauty, pearls were the earliest gems known to prehistoric man; and as the æsthetical side of man developed they were used as a means of personal adornment by the half-naked savages, foretelling the decorations seen in the wealth and fashion of the present day. Apropos of this increasing craze for pearls, especially among our Transatlantic cousins, who one and all seem to possess wonderful strings of this gem, a young American widow, who is just settling among us, and is to be one of next year's hostesses in town, has just purchased from Cartier a rope of pearls for the modest sum of £128,000.

SUGGESTIVE OF ORIENTAL LUXURY.

Pearls, however, seems to be peculiarly suggestive of Oriental luxury and magnificence, for it is in the Far East that they are most especially loved, and there they add greatly to the splendour and display of costume. The Indians and Persians, as would naturally be expected, where the first great collectors of these gems, which were largely used as ornaments for divinities and objects of veneration and they were moreover, marked as symbols of purity and chastity. An old myth records the offerings made by the elements, as worthy a deity; the fire offered a meteor, the air, a rainbow, the earth, a ruby, and the water pearls. The rainbow formed a halo, while the meteor served as a lamp; the ruby adorned the forehead but the pearl was worn over the heart. The cult of the pearl is however, not peculiar to India, where its discovery is ascribed to Krishna, the most popular god of Hindu worship, who drew it from the depths of the sea to adorn his daughter on her wedding-day. Pearls are also objects of high veneration among the Chinese, who credit them as originating in the brain of the fabled dragon, and among these people they were used as mascots against fire and other disasters. In China the pearls is supposed to have been possessed of extraordinary luminous properties, and one was reported so lustrous as to be visible in the dark at a distance of three miles.

FEW REMAINING PEARLS OF ANTIQUITY.

Few pearls of antiquity now remain, and of these none is of great ornamental value. In 407 a.d., two daughters—Roman maidens—were buried with their pearls and ornaments, which, in 1526, during excavations for an extension of St. Peter's, were discovered, the ornaments being in excellent condition, while the pearls were as dead as a wreath of flowers.

THE WEATHER.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SIMLA, Dec. 3.

The weather is unsettled in Kashmir. No rainfall is reported, except in Tenasserim.

The Forecast :—Some precipitation in the hills in the extreme north.

SIMLA, Dec. 4.

Some snowfall has been reported from Minimarg, Sonemarg and Dras, but the weather elsewhere has been dry. The conditions are slightly unsettled in Baluchistan and the north-west India.

The Forecast.—Further precipitation in the Kashmir Hills.

BOMBAY DAILY WEATHER REPORT FOR THE 3RD DECEMBER.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 3rd December, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear. The moisture in the air is either equal to or below the average. Temperature is normal except for a defect during the day at Rawalpindi and an excess at night at Multan.

The United Provinces.—Skies are clear. Humidity is normal or in defect. Temperature is n

BY THE WAY.

RATS d'EGLISE.

It will be fresh in the public memory what depredations the "d'eglise" made in sundry villages in France two years ago. One has not forgotten the famous fourteenth-century statue of St. Baudane, which was found hidden in a barrel in a cellar, and long shall we remember that cure who had the church-bells rung when robbers took a priceless reliquary but left the relics behind: "The relics are all that count with the people" said the wise man. A Bill has now been laid before the French Chamber making the Communes instead of the cure responsible for the safe guardianship of these heritages of devotion. And, after the manner of Italy, restrictions are to be put on the right of private owners to part with their old masters: it is proposed that they shall only be purchased by some public body. One may take it that France has not been unaffected by the excellent example of our own institutions, the National Trust for the Preservation of Places of Historic Interest and the Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings, which have done such valuable work in preserving from decay and the housebreakers so many old manor-houses and from spoliation by building so many beauty spots.

PIKE IN RUSSIAN STREAMS.

While all seems fair and smooth on the surface of Russian politics, while the Duma appears to be quietly almost imperceptibly, building up its power from precedent to precedent strange things are going on in the depths of the steam and many well-conducted trout are being sorely hurried by the pike of Press Regulations. One passes no criticism on the heavy hand that descended on the journals publishing the first Duma's incitement to refuse military service. That manifesto was revolutionary and nothing else and deserved all it got. But it seems rather hard on a paper to be fined as the "Post" correspondent says was the case for an ironical note on a priest who in reply to an advertisement ordered radium spectacles guaranteeing success at cards! The fifty-seven editors who were sentenced to imprisonment last year may have deserved their punishment and one quite appreciates the point of view of the authority which confiscated the writings of the "Christian Anarchist," but fails to grasp the meaning of the interdict on an article protesting against the removal of life-buoys before the close of the bathing season.

INSULTING COMPLIMENTS.

Mr. Chesterton's motto, if he has one, is probably "Disagree," and the gentlemen who persuaded him to address "L'Entente Cordiale" assembly in mail week were doubtless prepared for an entirely new version of the characteristics of the French and English nations. They got it. Mr. Chesterton objected, at considerable length, to the statement that the French were polite and witty, and proposed that they should henceforward be recognised as political and pugnacious. Probably Mr. Chesterton's definition is as good, and as bad, as any other. The truth is that any nation may be said and proved to possess any characteristic anyone cares to select. Quite a good case could be made out for attributing wit, or manners, or pugnacity, or political fervour, to the English nation or any other nation with which one had sufficient familiarity to enable one to talk confidently.

MUTTERINGS AT LISBON.

Well-wishers of Portugal—and who does not wish well to that sunny land which still remains our oldest ally!—cannot profess to be quite content with the course of events. The army which carried the revolution to a successful issue is opening its eyes very wide over the reward bestowed upon its efforts. The difficulty has been overcome for the moment by giving these "heroes" from four to six months' leave of absence with full pay, but once you have pronounced a benison upon indiscipline it is not easily laid to rest. Senhor Machado Santos, whose generalship was the bright particular feature of the street fighting has been a thorn in the side of the Government ever since those October days, and is now forcing himself and his claims to the front. The Republican politician themselves are splitting into hostile camps, and are charging their Ministers with nepotism and remembering the long succession of military revolutions further up the Tagus the successive over swing of Madrid by Generals Espartera, O'Donnell Serrono, etc., we are not too sanguine as to the peace of Lisbon.

OUR GUESTS.

Whilst, in the jumble of public life, political interests are for the moment shaken up to the surface, an event is occurring that at any other time would have aroused more general interest than is now to be observed. This is the visit of the United States fleet to French and British ports. The object of the visit twofold—to familiarise European navies with the appearance of the American flag in their waters, and to provide the crews with a prolonged voyage. The fleet is practically at full strength, and numbers sixteen up-to-date battleships. There will, however, be a third result from this visit, and that will be seen in the furtherance of the friendly relations that already exist between French, American and British Navies. The British Navy may safely be left to play the host in its usual hearty manner, and one has no doubt that the visit will conclude with increased respect on both sides.

A MILESTONE.

It is sorrowful to reflect that never again shall we see a ship like the Preussen. A great steamer, like a great railway engine, is an impressive sight, and a type of the age. But we cannot let the largest sailing vessel afloat break up without a word of regret. Sailing vessels have served us very well, from Sluys to Trafalgar. After all, it has yet to be proved that Dreadnoughts and super-Dreadnoughts will prove such good friends to England as the old ships that went sailing. They were good enough for Drake and Blake and Vernon and Rodney and Nelson. Perhaps it is a pity that they are not enough for us. The Preussen running before a fresh breeze must be, for those fortunate enough to have seen her, a beautiful and previous memory. Doubtless she was less comfortable and less deadly than our vessels of steam and steel. But she was a good ship and good to see, and her like one can hardly expect to look upon again.

A CARNIVALLEN MUSEUM.

Something has been heard lately of the Carnavalet. To those who set great store by museums one would recommend a collection of the carnivorous aliens imported into this country under false pretences. Last month a poisonous hairy spider was discovered among bananas at Guildford also recollect to a case of a tropical snake making its appearance in the same surroundings. South American rats landing from a wrecked ship are populating Cornwall while "cigarette beetles" hatched from a parcel of turmeric have tried to populate Thames-street. Bananas from Jamaica that have found their way to Leicester are once more responsible for a find, this time of a kind distinctly superior to the others. No rat, or spider, or snake, but a humming bird's nest with eggs in it. Mere shells, suggestive only of one of Nature's most exquisite works, but merely for that suggestion we welcome this the latest of our alien immigrants.

LA RAT QUI MEURT.

Presumably one continues, until the end of one's life, discovering wheels within wheels and worlds within worlds. We learn that the operations in Suffolk for the extermination of rats are often delayed by the uncomquerable pride of rats-catchers. When a successful poison is discovered—deadly and yet accentable to the rat—it is only with the greatest difficulty that the rat-catcher can be only induces to part with his secret. He cherishes the honour of his family so dearly. The farmer not being a member of "the profession," is more communicative. An Essex farmer has achieved great success with the simple expedient of placing small-meshed wire netting round his stacks. When in the course of threshing, the bottom of a stack is reached, the rats begin to leave the sinking ship, but find themselves shut in with half-a-dozen dogs. In this way no fewer than 700 rats were killed at one stack. The rat is reckoned to cost the farmer seven shillings and sixpence a head every year—just the price of a dog license. We cannot help thinking the dog the more agreeable pet.

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SCIENTIFIC NOTES.

THE FIREFLY.

For the last year or so certain of the officials connected with the Chemical Section of the Hygienic Laboratory of the United States Public Health Service have been studying the effects of various chemical agents on the emission of light by the firefly. It may be news to some that fireflies are not all flies. In the main they are beetles, but they number in their ranks creatures as different from the beetle as our own glow-worm. The light emitted by luminous insects is usually described as greenish or yellowish, though some assert that they have seen insects that gave forth a reddish or bluish light. The marine forms emit light of various colours, but almost always faint in tone. Ten years ago the radiant efficiency of the light was estimated by Langley and Very at 100 per cent., and their researches have been confirmed by Ives and Coblentz, though with the more sensitive instruments at their disposal they find the luminous efficiency to be 4 per cent. less than the estimate of their predecessors. In other words, says Mr. McDermott, one of the officials alluded to above, 96 per cent. of the total energy radiated by the firefly is exclusively illuminating radiation, and does not embrace heat or other subordinate effects. Now, most artificial illuminants have a luminous efficiency of less than 1 per cent., and the best attain but four. It is hardly possible to have a higher efficiency in the production of light than that attained for some mysterious reason by the firefly, so that it is unfortunate that lack of variety in the light makes it useless for our houses. "The light is worse for colour effects than even the ghastly green of the mercury vapour arc. Anything not within a very limited range of yellow and green tones would appear black." A curious fact recorded by Mr. McDermott is that the photogenic tissue of the firefly may be dried and powdered and if kept for some time quite dry will glow once more when moistened in presence of oxygen. It seems that oxygen is essential to the production of the light but the nature of the mechanism of the process is still unknown. Nor can we more than guess at the value of the light to the producer. Some have conjectured that it possibly has something to do with the reproductive life of the insect. The light furnished by the females is not so bright as that given out by the males. It may also be noted that the males of some species outnumber the females in the proportion of from seven or even fourteen to one.

THE COLLISION OF ATOMS.

To M Poincare it seems probable that the following considerations may throw light on these perplexing problems. It will be agreed that mathematical demonstrations do evoke emotional sensibility in the devotee of the science. The feeling of mathematical beauty, the harmony of numbers and forms, the sense of geometric elegancy, have a real existence. The combinations of no interest or value which are formed by the subliminal self have no effect upon the æsthetic sensibility of the mathematician. The combinations that are harmonious, and therefore useful and beautiful, arouse his special sensibility. That is why, when the flash of inspirations brings to the front an idea which, after all may turn out to be untrue, it is almost always the case that, any rate it gratifies the feeling for mathematical elegance. From the part that æsthetic sensibility plays in the processes of mathematical creation it is clear that only those who possess it can be real creators. It furthes seems to be necessary that all fruitful unconscious effect must be preceded by a period of conscious labour. Professor Poincare suggests the following comparison. The elements of the future combinations may be compared to the atoms of Epicurus, motionless, hooked to the wall, as it were, during mental repose. The preliminary conscious work unhooks some of them and sets them in motion. The space in which they move enclosed may be said to be full of moving atoms, just as we have gas molecules in motion in a kinetic theory. They impinge on one another, and the impact causes combinations with other atoms in motion or at rest. The preliminary conscious work may seem have been fruitless, and it has selected atoms from which the solution required may be reasonably expected, and has set these atoms in motion. The only combinations which have a chance of forming are those in which an element or elements have been freely chosen by the will. No calculations are made during this unconscious work. All it does is to provide points of departure for calculations. Liberty reigns in the subliminal realm—i.e., an absence of discipline, a disorder born of chance, a disorder that allows of unexpected combinations. Invention implies discernment and choice among the minority of combinations, the useful. The majority of the combinations are sterile, and the inventor unconsciously rejects these—may be quite unaware of their existence.

TOBACCO AND BRAINS.

Some curious statistics as to the effect of tobacco on the young smoker have been gathered by Dr. Meylan, of Columbia University, and those who are responsible for the guidance of student will be interested in the conclusions that he and other investigators had themselves compelled to adopt. At Clark College it was found that out of 201 students, 46 per cent. were smokers. The smokers slightly exceeded the non-smokers in strength and lung capacity, and 26 per cent. of the smoker won athletic prizes as against 16 per cent. of the others. But what are we to conclude from the fact that 68 per cent. of the non-smokers took University honours as compared with 18 per cent. of the smokers? Can it be that the non-smoker of the College age is mentally superior to the occasional and the habitual smoker? Of 223 students at Columbia University 52 per cent. had the smoking habit. Two per cent. of full marks divided the two classes at their entrance to the University, but at the end of the first two years the non-smokers still had the advantage by 7 per cent. Curiously enough, 7 per cent, more smokers than non-smokers won places in one or more of the Varsity teams. Those who take part in the various social activities of college life join what are called fraternities. Of the above students, 42 per cent, were members of fraternities and smoked, but the number of non-smokers with a taste that way was only 15 1-2 per cent. This seems to show that we must not take smoking as the sole factor that distinguished the two groups of men, though Dr. Meylan is inclined to think that men who use tobacco invarisbly rank lower in scholarship than those who are unattracted by the charms of the seductive goddess Nicotina. But we suppose that it is probably the case that the two groups of men or sprung from different social strata. The smokers as a whole seem to be men who go to the University for the social advantages and pleasures it affords. They are idle; degrees and honours are nothing to them; they have no ambitions in the way of intellectual success; and if they get low marks in the College examinations it is because they do not care two pence about all that high marks represent. It seems that no further inference can be drawn from these statistics than that in one particular yeas it was found that the set of students who used tobacco were on the whole characterised by idleness, lack of ambition, want of application, and a low standards of intellectual aspiration.

HIGH COURT.—DEC. 5.

(Before the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE DAVAR.)

Testamentary Suit for Consent Decree.

11-10 Jehangir vs Nagindas Ranchordas vs Surajvahu, Malvi H M and R

Long Cause for Consent Decree.

648-10 Malvi H M and R Surajvahu alias Kahb widow vs Nagindas Ranchordas Jeh & S

For Application for Judgment under Rule 106.

862-10 Mehta and D Sayed Badrudin Syed Mahidina vs Ahmed Alishah and others Jehangir M and S Ardeshir H D and Co.

Long Causes.

847-10 Mulji and K Hunsraj Seevchand and others vs Tribhowan Visrchand Capt and 7 S B Mehta Crawford B and Co.

534-10 Tyabji D and Co Abdulla Allarakhia and Co vs Allibhoy Chagla and Co Smitham and Co.

882-08 Captain and V The Advocate General of Bombay vs Furdoonji Ardeshir Cursetji Furdoonji and others Unwalla and Co.

434-10 Jehangir M and S Heptoola Esoofally vs Moister Lucias and Bruning and Co Ld Cesigi B and Co.

51-93 In person Halimabai and another vs Amirbibi widow and others N B Vakil T A Ghandy Tyab D and Co.

698-09 Madhowji K and Co Gangabai widow vs Luxman Bhicaji Bhaokre and others Mehta and D.

388-08 Khuderao L and M Anandrao Dwarkanath and others vs Harichand Pandarinath and others Daphtary F and D Mulji and K Khuni L and M Bhai K and G.

998-08 S A Tyabji Krishnayas Subhaya and others vs Narayendas Kanji Little and Co.

215-08 Mulla and M Mumraj Rambasgat vs Jankidas Ratanlal and others Malvi H M and R

259-10 Ardeshir H D and Co K Vasodeodas and another Dickshit D and S

575-10 Edgelow G W and Co Nunnulabai widow and others K and Goolamalli J Panchmariwalla Payne and Co.

614-10 Bicknell M and R Hassam Joosab vs Haji Mahomed Ebrahim valad Mahomed Syed Parkar F P Pavri

560-10 Thakerdas Ahmedbhoy Hulubhoy vs The Bombay Cotton Mnf Co Ld Payne and Co.

(Before the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE BEAMAN).

Suits for Hearing and Final Disposal.

Short Cause.

650-08 Bhaishanker K and G The Hope Mills Ld vs Sir Cawasji Jehangir Readymoney Baronet and another Mulla and M Daphtary F and D Parthsard.

Long Causes.

70 08 Matubhoy J and M Hoosain Allana and others vs Gakibai widow and others Madhowji K and Co.

815-08 Raghavaya B and N Megji Narotam vs Gopibai, widow Madhowji K and Co

647-09 Smetham B and Co Prabhakar Bhawan and others vs Esajee Mooss Jehangir and S

983-09 Thakurdas and Co Motabhoy, Mulla Essabhoy vs Taucker Vussanji Pragji Payne and Co Part heard.

690-09 Mulla and M Mirza Bahadur Sing vs Gopibash Raghunath and others. Part heard.

42-10 Captain and V Abdul Azeez bin Abdul Karim Sawan and another vs Ibrahim bin Maney and another, Shroff D and D. Partly decreed.

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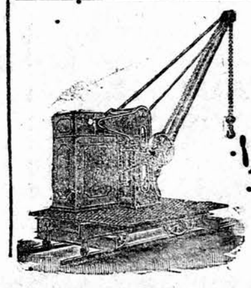

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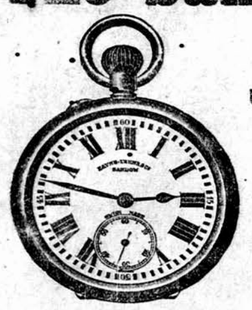

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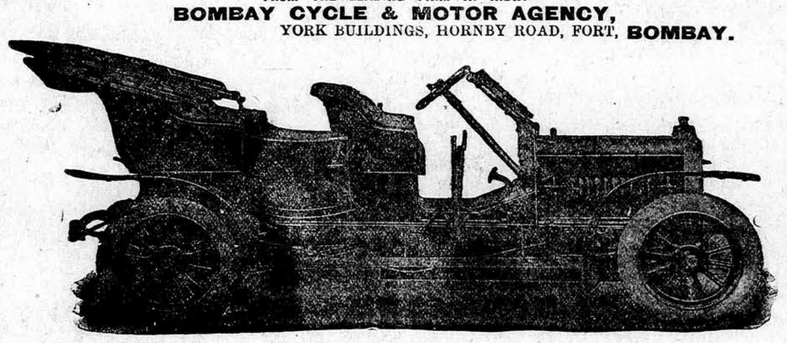

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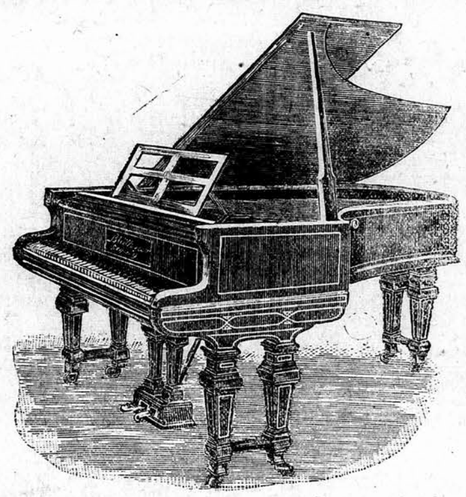

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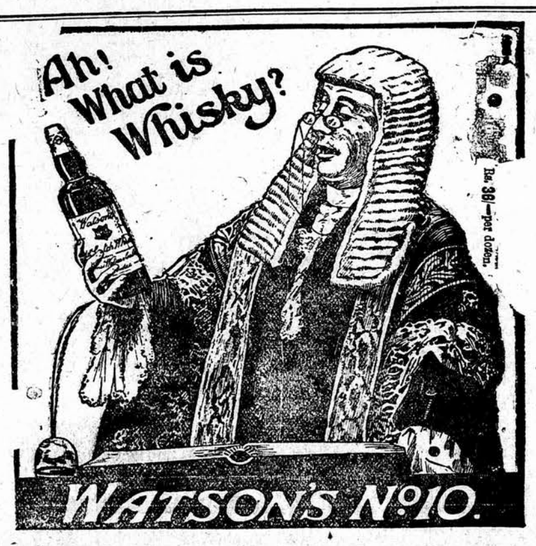

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